

House Resolution 1047

By: Representatives Silcox of the 52nd, Cooper of the 43rd, Wilensky of the 79th, Newton of the 123rd, and McLaurin of the 51st

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending the Lights of Love event at Children's Healthcare of Atlanta;
2 and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Children's Healthcare of Atlanta invites the community to make a meaningful
4 date with Lights of Love this Valentine's Day; and

5 WHEREAS, employees, volunteers, families, and supporters of Children's Healthcare of
6 Atlanta will stand outside, positioned on the sidewalk across from Scottish Rite Hospital, in
7 the garden at Egleston Hospital, and along the black gate at the main entrance of Hughes
8 Spalding Hospital for this annual event; and

9 WHEREAS, together, participants will shine flashlights at patients, who will shine back at
10 the crowd through hospital windows; and

11 WHEREAS, the event was organized as an interactive way for the Atlanta community to
12 show their Children's Healthcare of Atlanta spirit and support by sending love and joy to
13 those patients; and

14 WHEREAS, attendees are encouraged to wear red and to either bring a flashlight or plan to
15 use a cell phone flashlight; and

16 WHEREAS, flashlights will be illuminated on February 13, 2020, from 6:00 P.M. to 6:05
17 P.M. at Hughes Spalding; from 6:30 P.M. to 6:35 P.M. at Egleston; and from 7:30 P.M. to
18 7:35 P.M. at Scottish Rite; and

19 WHEREAS, kids in the hospitals will miss out on card exchanges with friends and other
20 Valentine's Day activities at school; and

21 WHEREAS, Lights of Love will illustrate the community's support for the brave and
22 courageous patients at Children's Healthcare of Atlanta, and the event will remind Children's
23 patients that the Atlanta community cares and will always be cheering them on; and

24 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding contributions of
25 Children's Healthcare of Atlanta and the extraordinary Lights of Love event be appropriately
26 recognized.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
28 the members of this body recognize and commend the Lights of Love event at Children's
29 Healthcare of Atlanta.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
31 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
32 Children's Healthcare of Atlanta.