

House Resolution 109

By: Representatives Smith of the 70th, Jenkins of the 136th, Glaize of the 67th, Thomas of the 65th, and Bonner of the 73rd

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing May 18, 2023, as the Georgia World Organization of China Painters Day; and
2 for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the World Organization of China Painters is a nonprofit group dedicated to the
4 appreciation and enrichment of the fine art of painting on porcelain; and

5 WHEREAS, on January 17, 1962, Pauline A. Salyer started a china painting organization in
6 Oklahoma, and in April 1967, she founded the World Organization of China Painters; and

7 WHEREAS, today, there are china painting clubs all over the world, and the organization
8 continues to grow and follow its founder's dream to further the art of china painting; and

9 WHEREAS, one of the many objectives of the organization is to preserve a collection of fine
10 hand painted porcelain, which serves to educate and deepen the appreciation of this fine art
11 for posterity; and

12 WHEREAS, the art of painting on porcelain has been recognized as fine art by all the world's
13 great civilizations and has enriched museums in many countries for years; and

14 WHEREAS, on May 18, 2023, a one-day luncheon convention for the Georgia World
15 Organization of China Painters will be held at the Cherokee Run Golf Club in Conyers,
16 Georgia, with the theme of Floral Extraganzia 2023; and

17 WHEREAS, this fine art, which requires great skill, training, and talent, has been
18 enthusiastically adopted by thousands of porcelain artists from the State of Georgia for many
19 years, and it abundantly fitting and proper that they be appropriately honored during this
20 special time.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
22 the members of this body recognize May 18, 2023, as the Georgia World Organization of
23 China Painters Day.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
25 and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the
26 public and the press.