

House Resolution 1518

By: Representatives Holly of the 116th, Mitchell of the 88th, Williams of the 168th, Bell of the 75th, Prince of the 132nd, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Minority Leader James Beverly on his outstanding public
2 service as a member of the House of Representatives; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Minority Leader James Beverly has long been recognized by the citizens of this
4 state for the vital role that he has played in leadership and his deep personal commitment to
5 the welfare of the citizens of Georgia; and

6 WHEREAS, he has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of his time,
7 talents, and energy toward the betterment of his community and state as evidenced by his
8 superlative service in the House of Representatives; and

9 WHEREAS, he helped lead voter engagement efforts to encourage participation among
10 African American men in elections for leaders at the local, state, and national levels; and

11 WHEREAS, he masterfully led the minority caucus through the COVID-19 pandemic with
12 online town halls; and

13 WHEREAS, he passionately advocated for Medicaid expansion to help this state's neediest
14 citizens; and

15 WHEREAS, he has been a great example of supportive fatherhood; and

16 WHEREAS, his significant organizational and leadership talents, remarkable patience and
17 diplomacy, keen sense of vision, and sensitivity to the needs of the citizens of this state have
18 earned him the respect and admiration of his colleagues and associates; and

19 WHEREAS, he is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for
20 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

21 WHEREAS, he has served with honor and distinction in the House of Representatives, and
22 his vision and unyielding commitment will be sorely missed upon the occasion of his
23 retirement; and

24 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
25 remarkable and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

26 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
27 the members of this body recognize and commend Minority Leader James Beverly for his
28 efficient, effective, unselfish, and dedicated public service to the State of Georgia;
29 congratulate him upon the grand occasion of his retirement from the House of
30 Representatives; and extend the most sincere best wishes for continued health and happiness.

31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
32 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
33 Minority Leader James Beverly.