

## House Resolution 1580

By: Representatives Cummings of the 39<sup>th</sup>, Wilkerson of the 38<sup>th</sup>, Stoner of the 40<sup>th</sup>, Campbell of the 35<sup>th</sup>, Seabaugh of the 34<sup>th</sup>, and others

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending District Attorney Flynn D. Broady, Jr.; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, District Attorney Flynn D. Broady, Jr., a combat veteran and prosecutor,  
3 became the District Attorney of Cobb County, Georgia, on January 1, 2021; and
- 4 WHEREAS, District Attorney Flynn D. Broady, Jr., and members of his office have made  
5 thoughtful efforts to invest time in the community, fostering trust and building partnerships;  
6 and
- 7 WHEREAS, District Attorney Flynn D. Broady, Jr., has consistently operated his office with  
8 a high degree of integrity and proficiency, demonstrating the capabilities of the office to  
9 effectively manage high-profile cases; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Attorney General Chris Carr appointed the Cobb County District Attorney's  
11 Office to handle the prosecution in the killing of Ahmaud Arbery; and
- 12 WHEREAS, on February 23, 2020, Ahmaud Arbery, a 25 year-old Black man, was murdered  
13 during a racially motivated confrontation while jogging in a neighborhood near Brunswick  
14 in Glynn County, Georgia; and

15 WHEREAS, a highly skilled and knowledgeable prosecution team was assembled, which  
16 represented a cross-section of Georgia; and

17 WHEREAS, under the direction of District Attorney Flynn D. Broady, Jr., the Cobb County  
18 District Attorney's Office effectively prosecuted and secured convictions for all three  
19 defendants involved in the murder of Ahmaud Arbery, thereby obtaining justice for the  
20 Arbery family and the citizens of this state; and

21 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the hard work and effort put into this case  
22 be appropriately recognized.

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
24 the members of this body recognize and commend District Attorney Flynn D. Broady, Jr.,  
25 and his team of prosecutors for their diligent efforts and remarkable success in this case and  
26 express sincere and profound gratitude on behalf of the government of the State of Georgia  
27 and its citizens.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
29 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the  
30 office of District Attorney Flynn D. Broady, Jr.