

House Resolution 1588

By: Representative Marin of the 96th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Emprendedores Latinos USA; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the Hispanic community has grown exponentially over the last decade in the
3 State of Georgia, and with it, so has its economic impact; and
- 4 WHEREAS, there are currently over 4 million Latino owned businesses in the United States
5 which are responsible for hiring tens of millions of individuals and contributing about \$600
6 billion to the economy; and
- 7 WHEREAS, Emprendedores Latinos USA was created to inspire, educate, and promote
8 entrepreneurship in the Latino community at the grassroots level; and
- 9 WHEREAS, the organization has continuously and swiftly brought about great change in the
10 lives of Latino businesses, providing training, workshops, and networking events designed
11 for entrepreneurs to exchange ideas; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Emprendedores Latinos conducts monthly meetings and round tables all around
13 the state geared at harnessing collaboration between entrepreneurs through dialogue and
14 promoting a common good; and
- 15 WHEREAS, the organization has made a huge impact in encouraging Latinas to become
16 entrepreneurs, while also providing great support for women who already own businesses;
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- 18 WHEREAS, Emprendedores Latinos has meaningful partnerships with various Small
19 Business Development Centers to provide economic and cultural training to the community;
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21 WHEREAS, Emprendedores Latinos also places a great deal of attention on promoting
22 self-help and encouraging Latino businesses to help their community through social
23 entrepreneurship; and

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

26 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
27 the members of this body recognize and commend Emprendedores Latinos USA for their
28 continuing efforts to provide Latino businesses with the necessary resources to succeed.

29 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
30 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
31 Emprendedores Latinos USA.