

House Resolution 1680

By: Representatives Scott of the 76th and Douglas of the 78th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Beverly Reese; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Beverly Reese, a native of Atlanta, Georgia, has lived in Henry County for the
3 past eight years and is a graduate of Emory University and Carnegie-Mellon University; and
- 4 WHEREAS, she came to Henry County after retiring as a district marketing manager at
5 Lucent Technologies in New Jersey; and
- 6 WHEREAS, volunteering has allowed Ms. Reese to give back to her community, specifically
7 with Organizing for America, under the auspices of the Democratic Party; and
- 8 WHEREAS, her work with Organizing for American began with several hours of phone
9 work and grew to her working as a community organizer, managing two teams of volunteers
10 in Henry County to support the Obama Administration on health care and other issues and
11 in the reelection of President Obama; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Ms. Reese became active with the Henry County Democratic Committee at a
13 similar time as when she began working with Organizing for America; and
- 14 WHEREAS, in 2010, she was elected to the state committee representing Henry County and
15 in 2011, was elected to serve as first vice chair of the Henry County Democratic Committee;
16 and
- 17 WHEREAS, while these political activities take up much of her time, Ms. Reese still enjoys
18 singing in one of her church's choirs and volunteers with other choir members at a nursing
19 home in East Point; and

20 WHEREAS, Ms. Reese's significant organizational and leadership talents, her remarkable
21 patience and diplomacy, her keen sense of vision, and her sensitivity to the needs of the
22 citizens of this state have earned her the respect and admiration of her colleagues and
23 associates; 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 Beverly Reese for her commitment to the
28 State of Georgia and express to her their most sincere best wishes for continued success and
29 happiness.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
31 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Beverly Reese.