

## House Resolution 1753

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## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing March, 2014, as Professional Social Workers Month at the state capitol; and for  
2 other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the social work profession has been instrumental in achieving civil rights and  
4 human rights in the United States and across the globe for more than a century; and

5 WHEREAS, the primary mission of social work is to enhance human well-being and help  
6 meet the basic needs of all people, especially the most vulnerable; and

7 WHEREAS, social workers make a critical impact in adolescent and youth development,  
8 aging and family caregiving, child protective and family services, health care navigation,  
9 mental and behavioral health treatment, military and veterans assistance, nonprofit  
10 management and community development, and poverty reduction; and

11 WHEREAS, social workers function as specialists, consultants, private practitioners,  
12 educators, community leaders, policy makers, and researchers; and

13 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the contributions of social workers be  
14 appropriately recognized.

15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
16 the members of this body recognize March, 2014, as Professional Social Workers Month at  
17 the state capitol and commend the hard work and dedication of Georgia social workers.

18 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
19 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the public and the press.