

House Resolution 1776

By: Representatives Dempsey of the 13th, Coomer of the 14th, and Lumsden of the 12th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Heart of the Community Foundation 2018 Award of Honor
2 recipient, Scott Smith; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Scott Smith began his community involvement in Rome, Georgia, when he
4 moved there to begin his law practice 26 years ago; and

5 WHEREAS, Scott is the attorney for the Development Authority of Floyd County and serves
6 as an adjunct professor at Berry College; and

7 WHEREAS, Scott is an active member of the Jaycees and Seven Hills Rotary Club; has
8 served as a board member for the Rome Chamber of Commerce, the Coosa Country Club,
9 the Community Foundation, and River City Bank; and was chairman of the Allocations
10 Committee for the United Way of Rome Executive Committee; and

11 WHEREAS, Scott has also served on the board for the Boys and Girls Club in Rome for
12 25 years, working on fund-raisers such as the Tri for Kids Triathlon for Boys and Girls Club
13 NWGA; and

14 WHEREAS, Scott's community involvement extends to health care causes, including
15 membership with the Floyd Healthcare Foundation and serving as vice-chair for Mercy Care
16 Rome; and

17 WHEREAS, Scott is a person of deep and abiding faith and has served First Baptist Church
18 in various capacities, including deacon, Sunday school teacher, and youth leader; his service
19 has included mission trips to Honduras, Morocco, Puerto Rico, and Peru; and

20 WHEREAS, Scott has been described as a person with unwavering dedication who gives
21 fundamental guidance to members and steady leadership to the organizations that he serves;
22 and

23 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding contributions of this
24 exemplary and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

25 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
26 the members of this body recognize Scott Smith for his outstanding dedication to his
27 community, commend him as a recipient of the Heart of the Community Foundation 2018
28 Award of Honor, and extend the 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 make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Scott
32 Smith.