House Resolution 528

By: Representatives Pullin of the 131st, Mathiak of the 73rd, Bonner of the 72nd, Rutledge of the 109th, and Stover of the 71st

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring the life and memory of Dylan Thomas; and for other purposes.

- 2 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia mourns the loss of one of its most distinguished citizens
- 3 with the passing of Dylan Thomas on September 30, 2018, in a tragedy that broke the hearts
- 4 of a community; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Dylan was an outstanding member of his community, remembered by many as 6 a mentor of younger children, and becoming a mentor, friend, and listening ear to all who 7 meeded advice and a friendly shoulder on which to leave and
- 7 needed advice and a friendly shoulder on which to lean; and

8 WHEREAS, he was an outstanding athlete, playing as both linebacker and running back for9 the Pike County Pirates as a high school junior; and

- 10 WHEREAS, a man of deep and abiding faith, Dylan's belief in his Savior informed his life
- 11 and his decisions, causing him to be kind hearted; and
- 12 WHEREAS, his passing brought not only sorrow, but also united a community in the loving
- 13 and enduring memory of a great young man who taught us all the value of life and the
- 14 importance of kindness to our fellow man.

15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that

- 16 the members of this body join in honoring the life and memory of Dylan Thomas and express
- 17 their deepest and most sincere regret at his passing.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the family of Dylan Thomas.