

House Resolution 907

By: Representatives Hugley of the 133rd, Smyre of the 136th, Randall of the 127th, Taylor of the 134th, Jackson of the 148th and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing Alpha Kappa Alpha Day at the Capitol on February 18, 2002, and inviting the
2 Regional Director, Sonjia Garcia, to appear before the House of Representatives; and for
3 other purposes.
- 4 WHEREAS, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority has the distinction of being the first sorority
5 established by African American college women, was founded at Howard University in
6 Washington, D.C., in 1908, and has expanded internationally to 850 chapters; and
- 7 WHEREAS, Georgia hosts 50 of these chapters which are located on college and university
8 campuses and have active alumnae groups in communities throughout the state; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority is committed to community service and actively
10 contributes to the educational, civic, and social life of Georgia's citizens; and
- 11 WHEREAS, alumnae chapters encourage their members to become involved community
12 volunteers in one of their primary service components that include education, health, the
13 economy, the arts, and the family; and
- 14 WHEREAS, this great sisterhood has established a nationally recognized program through
15 its Alpha Kappa Alpha Day at the Capitol, and this year's program is most fortunate to
16 include the Regional Director, Sonjia Garcia, as she visits in Georgia.
- 17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
18 the members of this body recognize Alpha Kappa Alpha Day at the Capitol on February 18,
19 2002, and invite the Regional Director, Sonjia Garcia, to appear before this body at a date
20 and time to be determined by the Speaker.
- 21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
22 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Sonjia Garcia.