

## House Resolution 1094

By: Representatives Cox of the 105<sup>th</sup>, Connell of the 115<sup>th</sup>, Lewis of the 14<sup>th</sup>, Poag of the 6<sup>th</sup>, Stallings of the 100<sup>th</sup> and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Prevent Child Abuse Georgia and its 52 community based councils and  
2 recognizing Wednesday, February 13, 2002, as Child Abuse Prevention Day at the State  
3 Capitol; and for other purposes.

4 WHEREAS, prevention of child abuse and neglect must be an essential part of any plan to  
5 end child abuse in Georgia; and

6 WHEREAS, Prevent Child Abuse Georgia is the only state-wide private nonprofit  
7 organization solely dedicated to preventing child abuse in all its forms; and

8 WHEREAS, Prevent Child Abuse Georgia was created in 1984 out of concern for the  
9 children of Georgia; and

10 WHEREAS, Prevent Child Abuse Georgia's state-wide network of programs, trainings,  
11 resources, and support form Georgia's most comprehensive continuum of community based  
12 services dedicated to child abuse prevention; and

13 WHEREAS, fifty-one community based councils, chartered by Prevent Child Abuse  
14 Georgia, provides prevention education and services in 71 counties throughout Georgia; and

15 WHEREAS, Prevent Child Abuse Georgia and its public and private partners strive to put  
16 child abuse prevention on everyone's agenda, encourage citizens to learn more about child  
17 abuse, ask citizens to support existing prevention programs, and create initiatives to prevent  
18 child abuse in their communities; and

19 WHEREAS, the outstanding efforts of Prevent Child Abuse Georgia and its 52 community  
20 based chartered councils merit recognition and endorsement.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
2 the members of this body commend Prevent Child Abuse Georgia for working tirelessly to  
3 prevent child abuse in Georgia and recognize Wednesday, February 13, 2002, as Child Abuse  
4 Prevention Day at the State Capitol.

5 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
6 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Prevent Child Abuse  
7 Georgia.