

House Resolution 1099

By: Representatives Teague of the 58th, Brooks of the 54th, McKinney of the 51st and Sinkfield of the 57th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing South Fulton County Legislative Day at the Capitol on February 19, 2002; and
2 for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, on February 19, 2002, elected officials from the state, county, and municipal
4 levels, along with the constituents they serve, will come together to declare and celebrate the
5 success and unique appeal of South Fulton County, Georgia; and

6 WHEREAS, South Fulton County, which includes sections of unincorporated Fulton County
7 and the Cities of College Park, Union City, East Point, Hapeville, Palmetto, and Fairburn,
8 is a vibrant, beautiful community, rich in natural resources and competitive business; and

9 WHEREAS, the progressive governments of South Fulton County provide a positive
10 environment for business growth through efficient services and effective collaboration with
11 developers to create new employment opportunities; and

12 WHEREAS, multimodal transportation culminates in South Fulton County: home of
13 Hartsfield International Airport, hub for two of the nation's largest railroads, networked to
14 the compass by four interstate highways, and southern terminus of MARTA; and

15 WHEREAS, with more than 7,000 hotel rooms and bountiful exhibit and meeting spaces,
16 including the Georgia International Convention Center, South Fulton County is a powerful
17 contributor to Atlanta's vital convention and hospitality industries; and

18 WHEREAS, South Fulton County has more than 850 manufacturing and distribution firms,
19 the largest contiguous industrial park in the eastern United States plus more than 100,000
20 acres in the area's 125,000 acres remain available for development; and

21 WHEREAS, South Fulton County legislators, commissioners, mayors, and citizens are
22 committed to working together to improve the quality of life through initiatives like the

1 Educational Wrap-around Collaborative, which includes Parent University, Red Carpet
2 Schools, and the South Fulton Incubator Project; and

3 WHEREAS, with abundant resources and the commitment from all sectors of the community
4 to continue to work cooperatively for quality economic development, the future of South
5 Fulton County has never looked more promising; and

6 WHEREAS, the 2001 South Fulton County Legislative Day is dedicated to the purpose of
7 recognizing and celebrating vibrant South Fulton County; its diversity and commitment.

8 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
9 the members of this body recognize and observe South Fulton County Legislative Day at the
10 Capitol on February 19, 2002, and heartily welcome to the capitol the elected public officials
11 and residents of South Fulton County.