House Resolution 1210 By: Representative Parham of the 122<sup>nd</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Commending former Milledgeville Police Chief Eugene Ellis; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Eugene Ellis served with distinction as Chief of the Milledgeville Police

3 Department from 1949 until 1975, after having begun his career with the department in 1946;
4 and

5 WHEREAS, he later served his community as City Marshal from 1975 to 1977 and as Chief

6 Deputy Sheriff of Baldwin County from 1977 until his retirement in 1983; and

7 WHEREAS, he is a U.S. Army veteran of World War II, having served honorably in New

8 Guinea and the Philippines and stateside in the military police; and

9 WHEREAS, it is only fitting and proper that his life of public service be recognized by this10 body.

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

12 the members of this body commend former Milledgeville Police Chief Eugene Ellis for his

13 lengthy career as a law enforcement officer and for his many contributions to the welfare of

14 his community, state, and nation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Eugene Ellis.