

Senate Resolution 801

By: Senator Cable of the 27th

ADOPTED SENATE

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Eileen Eubanks Smith; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Eileen Eubanks Smith of Barnesville, Georgia, has long been recognized for
3 the vital role that she has played in community leadership and her deep personal commitment
4 to the welfare of her community; and

5 WHEREAS, the daughter of James Fortson Eubanks and Levert Shepherd Eubanks, she was
6 born in Bronxville, New York, but has resided in Barnesville for the past 34 years; and

7 WHEREAS, for 28 years, she was a teacher in the Bibb County and Lamar County school
8 systems, was named the Lamar County Elementary School Teacher of the Year and the
9 Lamar County Board of Education Teacher of the Year for 1989-1990, and was chosen the
10 Outstanding Career Woman of the Year for 1989-1990; and

11 WHEREAS, her community activities have included the Barnesville Jaycetts, the Azalea
12 Garden Club, the Humane Society, serving as Chairperson of the Barnesville Beautification
13 Committee, serving on the Downtown Revitalization Committee and the Historic
14 Preservation Committee, and currently serving on the Chamber of Commerce Board; and

15 WHEREAS, in 1998, she was elected to the Barnesville City Council where she served until
16 2001; and

17 WHEREAS, her artistic talents have been applied to a number of projects including the
18 design of the logo for *Rebirth of a Farm* and the book cover for *Black and White Soul*; and

19 WHEREAS, she and her husband, E. Byron Smith, have raised two lovely daughters, Leigh
20 and Jeanie, and are the proud grandparents of two grandsons, John Byron and Jackson; and

1 WHEREAS, her dedication to community service and unselfish contribution of her time and
2 talents have done much to improve the quality of life for many in her community.

3 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
4 commend Eileen Eubanks Smith for her many years of service to her community.

5 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
6 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Eileen Eubanks Smith.