

## House Resolution 351

By: Representatives Purcell of the 147<sup>th</sup> and Barnard of the 154<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Expressing regret at the passing of Honorable Charlie Rowland; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Honorable Charlie Rowland served for three terms with distinction, dedication,  
3 and ability as Mayor of Glennville, Georgia; and
- 4 WHEREAS, he was the respected operator of a furniture store in Glennville and was deeply  
5 involved in numerous business, social, civic, and political activities; and
- 6 WHEREAS, he served as President of the First District of the Georgia Municipal Association  
7 and was an honorary member of the 24th Infantry Division (Mechanized) of Ft. Stewart; and
- 8 WHEREAS, he was a former president of the Glennville Lions Club and was a recipient of  
9 the Melvin Jones Fellow Award, the most prestigious honor awarded by the club, and was  
10 the only Glennville member to be so recognized; and
- 11 WHEREAS, he was a former member of the State Board of Community Affairs and provided  
12 substantial input and influence in state policy making on matters affecting local government  
13 power, organization, and responsibility; and
- 14 WHEREAS, he inspired numerous Georgians through his high ideals, the strength of his  
15 character, his active involvement in civic and social affairs, and his deep concern for others;  
16 and
- 17 WHEREAS, he was the devoted husband of Mrs. Susie Rowland and the father of two  
18 outstanding daughters, Suzanne Woodrum and Judy Bland.
- 19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
20 the members of this body express their deepest regret at the passing of Honorable Charlie  
21 Rowland and convey their sincerest sympathy to the members of his family.

- 1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 2 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of Honorable
- 3 Charlie Rowland.