

House Resolution 459

By: Representative Stephens of the 150th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Designating the Lucinda Williams Adams Highway; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Lucinda Williams Adams is a native of Bloomingdale, Georgia, and is a
3 graduate of Tennessee State University; and
- 4 WHEREAS, as a member of the women's 4 x 100 meter relay team, she thrilled the world
5 when she ran the third leg of the relay, winning a gold medal at the 1960 Olympic Games in
6 Rome, Italy; and
- 7 WHEREAS, at the 1958 Pan-American Games in Chicago, she captured three gold medals
8 and posted an American record for the women's 220 yard dash; and
- 9 WHEREAS, she serves as an associate director of comprehensive health, physical education,
10 driver education, and safety with the Dayton, Ohio Public Schools; and
- 11 WHEREAS, in 1994, she was elected as president of the National Association for Sports and
12 Physical Education; and
- 13 WHEREAS, she serves with dedication and ability as a member of the Board of Directors
14 of the Ohio Special Olympics, is a member of the U. S. Olympian Society, and has received
15 the Lifetime Achievement Award from the Ohio Professional and Amateur Athletics
16 Committee and the Presidential Award from the American Alliance of Health, Physical
17 Education, Recreation and Dance.
- 18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
19 GEORGIA that the portion of State Highway 17 between State Highway 26 and the Georgia
20 Central Railroad line located within the City of Bloomingdale is designated as the Lucinda
21 Williams Adams Highway.

1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Department of Transportation is authorized and
2 directed to erect and maintain appropriate signs at appropriate locations designating such
3 highway.

4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
5 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Lucinda Williams Adams
6 and to the Department of Transportation.