

Senate Resolution 19

By: Senator Ragan of the 11th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Mr. Andy Bell upon his being named Ag Man of the Year; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Mr. Andy Bell, a fourth generation Decatur County farmer, has been named Ag
4 Man of the Year 2000; and

5 WHEREAS, the Decatur County Farm Bureau nominated Mr. Bell for the honor because he
6 has contributed unselfishly to agriculture in Decatur County in numerous ways over the
7 years; and

8 WHEREAS, Mr. Bell is currently serving as director after his third term as president of the
9 Decatur County Farm Bureau; is director of the Georgia Peanut Producers Association; is a
10 member of the Agribusiness Council; is a member of the Georgia and Decatur County
11 Cattlemen's Associations, the Decatur County Extension Advisory Committee, and the
12 Decatur County Pest Management Board; and has served as vice chairman of the Decatur
13 County Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Service Committee and as state director
14 for the Georgia Pork Producers; and

15 WHEREAS, he and his brother, Buster Bell, own and operate Bell Farms, a diversified
16 business having acreage planted in corn, hay, small grains, pecan trees, timber, peanuts, and
17 cotton, and he always finds time to boost agriculture and assist local farmers in any way he
18 can, and his commitment to the agriculture of his region and the state warrant his being
19 recognized as an outstanding leader in farming and agribusiness.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
21 commend Mr. Andy Bell upon his being named Ag Man of the Year 2000 and wish him
22 many more productive years in his chosen profession.

- 1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 2 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mr. Andy Bell.