

House Resolution 63EX1

By: Representatives Murphy of the 18th, Connell of the 115th, Walker of the 141st, Skipper of the 137th, Smyre of the 136th and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Don Cargill; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Don Cargill of Rockdale County has long been recognized for the vital role he
3 has played in assisting the State of Georgia in organizing and hosting a number of major
4 legislative conferences over the past 18 years; and

5 WHEREAS, he volunteered his time and talents to serve as the planner and overall
6 coordinator of the 55th Annual Meeting of the Southern Legislative Conference that was held
7 in Savannah from July 14-18, 2001; and

8 WHEREAS, for more than two years he devoted innumerable hours of his time raising funds
9 from private sources to support the conference and planning the details of this event that
10 involved over 2,000 registrants from 16 southern states; and

11 WHEREAS, as overall coordinator of the conference he was responsible for transportation
12 to and from the airport and hotels, as well as water taxi service, lodging for conference
13 attendees and staff, meals, social events, tours for spouses, special tours and treats for the
14 children of attendees, security, medical services, and recruiting for the contents of the highly
15 prized goody bags that every registrant received, and numerous other details; and

16 WHEREAS, as a result of his significant organizational and leadership talents, his
17 remarkable patience and diplomacy, his keen sense of vision, and his sensitivity to the needs
18 of all who came in contact with him, the Southern Legislative Conference was tremendously
19 successful and reflected positively on the entire state; and

20 WHEREAS, he is a person of immense strength and talent who has demonstrated his
21 dedication to service to his state; and

1 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding efforts and
2 accomplishments of this generous and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

3 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
4 Don Cargill is commended for his many years of efficient, effective, unselfish, and dedicated
5 public service and is congratulated on his outstanding and successful planning and
6 coordination of the 55th Annual Meeting of the Southern Legislative Conference.

7 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
8 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Don Cargill.