

House Resolution 15EX2

By: Representative Channell of the 111<sup>th</sup>

### A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending and congratulating Helen Hurt-Smith; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Helen Hurt-Smith has been honored as the 2001 winner of the Wilbur P. Jones  
3 Award; and
- 4 WHEREAS, this prestigious award is presented annually by the Georgia Community Action  
5 Association to an outstanding community volunteer, after nominations from all 20 Georgia  
6 Community Action agencies; and
- 7 WHEREAS, the name of the award recognizes the work of the late Wilbur P. Jones on behalf  
8 of low-income families and Community Action; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Helen Hurt-Smith is chairwoman of the board of Action, Inc., and the  
10 community service director of Greene County, Georgia; and
- 11 WHEREAS, she has provided significant leadership in efforts to secure millions of dollars  
12 in grants to benefit low-income children and families in Greene County; and
- 13 WHEREAS, her diligence and steadfast determination to make life better for those who are  
14 least able to help themselves have proven to be an inspiration for others who hope to make  
15 this state a better place.
- 16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
17 the members of this body commend Helen Hurt-Smith, a superb community volunteer and  
18 exemplary citizen, and congratulate her for this recognition of her dedicated service.
- 19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
20 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Helen Hurt-Smith.