

House Resolution 291

By: Representatives Smith of the 129th, Post 2, Mosley of the 129th, Post 1 and Boggs of the 145th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Mr. and Mrs. Duke Raulerson on the occasion of their fiftieth wedding
2 anniversary; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Duke and Inez Raulerson have long been regarded as one of the most renowned
4 couples in Blackshear through their active involvement in the economic, social, and civic life
5 of their community; and

6 WHEREAS, this loving couple was joined in holy wedlock on November 2, 1952, by Pastor
7 Howard Blalock at the First Baptist Church; and

8 WHEREAS, they stand as a proud and shining example of enduring love and affection and
9 have seen their progeny grow and flourish over a span of two descending generations through
10 the lives of their beloved children and grandchildren; and

11 WHEREAS, the devotion, patience, and understanding that they have demonstrated have
12 provided the foundation and framework of success in which all of their family members have
13 developed and flourished; and

14 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the selfless deeds and loving devotion
15 of these remarkable parents be appropriately recognized.

16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
17 the members of this body commend Mr. and Mrs. Duke Raulerson for their many decades
18 of unyielding strength and unparalleled inspiration on behalf of all of their children,
19 congratulate them upon the joyous occasion of their fiftieth wedding anniversary, and extend
20 to them best wishes for continued health and happiness.

21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House is authorized and directed to
22 transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mr. and Mrs. Duke Raulerson.