

House Resolution 389

By: Representatives Fludd of the 48th, Post 4, Stephens of the 124th, Post 2, Buckner of the 82nd, Mosby of the 59th, Post 3, Barnes of the 84th, Post 2, and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending E. W. Oliver Elementary School; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, E. W. Oliver Elementary School is an outstanding Math and Science Strand
3 School located in Clayton County, Georgia; and
- 4 WHEREAS, E. W. Oliver Elementary School, under the exemplary leadership of its
5 principal, Dr. Ron K. Boykins, and supported by an excellent faculty and staff, is dedicated
6 to being a leader in the fields of science and math and in motivating students to pursue these
7 academic interests; and
- 8 WHEREAS, E. W. Oliver Elementary opened its doors to the world as it hosted Sciencefest,
9 the largest elementary school science competition and celebration on earth; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Sciencefest is an annual event that brings together some of the best and
11 brightest students in the country for a four-day celebration of science for students in grades
12 kindergarten through five; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Sciencefest promotes science education at all elementary grade levels, promotes
14 understanding and creativity in the scientific method of investigation, and encourages
15 self-discipline; and
- 16 WHEREAS, an astounding 1,024 science projects were submitted and activities included a
17 corporate science and job fair, Space Night Field Trip, Classroom Science Day, and an
18 awards banquet at which 75 trophies and \$2,000.00 were awarded; and
- 19 WHEREAS, Sciencefest was a resounding success and a great accomplishment for the
20 students, faculty, and administrators of E. W. Oliver Elementary School.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
2 the members of this body commend E. W. Oliver Elementary School for its outstanding
3 achievements and superior performance and offer congratulations on the success of
4 Sciencefest.

5 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
6 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Dr. Ron K. Boykins,
7 principal of E. W. Oliver Elementary School.