

## House Resolution 398

By: Representatives Harbin of the 80<sup>th</sup> and Fleming of the 79<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 To dedicate a portion of State Route 232 in Columbia County as the "Purple Heart  
2 Highway"; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, veterans of the armed forces of the United States have established an  
4 outstanding record of valor and service during periods of conflict; and

5 WHEREAS, the exceptional leadership, courage, and commitment demonstrated by those  
6 who have served their country in times of war have created a proud and noble heritage; and

7 WHEREAS, those veterans who have been wounded in the line of duty are recognized for  
8 their extraordinary valor, sacrifice, and service to their country through the award of the  
9 Purple Heart; and

10 WHEREAS, it is only fitting that the contributions of these brave men and women who have  
11 received the Purple Heart be properly recognized; and

12 WHEREAS, the A. James Dyess Military Order of the Purple Heart, Chapter 425, and the  
13 CSRA Thomas L. Moore Chapter 544 of the Vietnam Veterans of America have requested  
14 that the portion of Georgia State Route 232 in Columbia County extending from its  
15 intersection with State Route 104 to its intersection with State Route 47 be dedicated as the  
16 "Purple Heart Highway."

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF  
18 GEORGIA that the portion of Georgia State Route 232 in Columbia County extending from  
19 its intersection with State Route 104 to its intersection with State Route 47 be dedicated as  
20 the "Purple Heart Highway."

21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Transportation is authorized and  
22 directed to place and maintain appropriate markers designating the "Purple Heart Highway."

1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
2 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Board of Commissioners  
3 of Columbia County; the A. James Dyess Military Order of the Purple Heart, Chapter 425;  
4 and the CSRA Thomas L. Moore Chapter 544 of the Vietnam Veterans of America.