

House Resolution 706

By: Representatives Beasley-Teague of the 48th, Post 2, Maddox of the 59th, Post 2, Brooks of the 47th, and Mobley of the 58th

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring and remembering the life of Pannesha Cole and expressing sympathy upon her
2 passing; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Pannesha Cole was born March 25, 1980, in Magee, Mississippi, the beloved
4 daughter of Martha and James Cole; and

5 WHEREAS, she attended Genesis One Christian School, a division of Mendenhall
6 Ministries, until she was promoted to the second grade and transferred to Magee Public
7 Schools; and

8 WHEREAS, she played basketball and proudly graduated from high school in May 1998,
9 going on to attend Hinds Community College; and

10 WHEREAS, she joined the Zion Hill M.B. Church at an early age, where she participated
11 in Sunday school, youth ministries, youth choir, and the mass choir; and

12 WHEREAS, she worked at Mendenhall Ministries' Summer Enrichment Program under the
13 leadership of Pastor Kelvin Jones; and

14 WHEREAS, on March 14, 1997, she gave birth to her daughter, Tyrinda Ransha LaAnté
15 Cole and on July 5, 2002, she gave birth to her son, Marquise Jauquin Lorenzo McGee; and

16 WHEREAS, she went to work for Wal-Mart where she remained an associate until her death
17 at a young age when God called her home along with her son on March 7, 2003; and

18 WHEREAS, she loved and honored her family and leaves to cherish her memory a loving
19 mother and father, her daughter, three brothers, one god-sister, one grandmother, one
20 grandfather, and a host of uncles, aunts, cousins, and other loving family and friends; and

1 WHEREAS, she will be missed and remembered always.

2 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
3 the members of this body honor the life of Pannesha Cole and express their heartfelt
4 condolences to her family.

5 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
6 and directed to transmit appropriate copies of this resolution to the family of Pannesha Cole.