

Senate Resolution 423

By: Senator Unterman of the 45th

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring the memory of Edwin Richard Snell, Jr., on the occasion of his posthumous receipt
2 of the Boy Scout Distinguished Citizen Award; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Mr. E. R. Snell, Jr., recently posthumously received the Boy Scout
4 Distinguished Citizen Award from the Northeast Georgia Council of the Boy Scouts of
5 America; and

6 WHEREAS, Mr. Snell was a native of Snellville, Georgia, who attended West Georgia
7 College, Georgia State University, and Southern Tech; and

8 WHEREAS, he enjoyed a distinguished and successful career in the highway construction
9 contracting business, serving as president of E. R. Snell Contractors, Inc., and a director of
10 the Georgia Highway Contractors Association; and

11 WHEREAS, he was active in the Snellville United Methodist Church where he served on the
12 board of trustees and chaired the building committee; and

13 WHEREAS, Mr. Snell gave generously of himself in civic and youth activities, including
14 work with the Snellville Health Association Committee and the Snellville Downtown
15 Development Authority, was a leader in booster activities for the Gwinnett High School
16 football program, served as a Little League coach, and was a strong Boy Scout supporter; and

17 WHEREAS, he was a loving husband to his wife, Martha Bennett Snell, and a proud and
18 devoted father to his three children.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that this body honors the
20 memory of Edwin Richard Snell, Jr., and expresses its appreciation for his many important
21 contributions to his community and the State of Georgia.

- 1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 2 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mr. Snell's family.