

## House Resolution 1016

By: Representatives Coleman of the 118<sup>th</sup>, Porter of the 119<sup>th</sup>, Howell of the 92<sup>nd</sup>, Lunsford of the 85<sup>th</sup>, Post 2, and Crawford of the 91<sup>st</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Extending condolences and honoring the memory of fallen Georgia State Trooper Tony M.  
2 Lumley; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Tony M. Lumley joined the Georgia State Patrol in March, 2002, as a Trooper  
4 Cadet and graduated from the 79th Georgia State Patrol Trooper School in October of that  
5 year as one of the school's most promising troopers; and

6 WHEREAS, the first assignment for this dedicated trooper was at the State Patrol post in  
7 Forest Park, Georgia; and, as a result of his exemplary performance, he was transferred in  
8 February, 2003, to the State Patrol post in Griffin, Georgia; and

9 WHEREAS, Tony M. Lumley was widely esteemed by his fellow troopers for his  
10 outstanding teamwork, sense of humor, professional attitude, a deft ability to interact with  
11 the public, and eagerness to assist other law enforcement agencies when called upon; and

12 WHEREAS, this courageous public servant gave his life in the course of duty, while leading  
13 multiple law enforcement agencies in vehicular pursuit of an armed felon; and

14 WHEREAS, Trooper Lumley's patrol car collided with a fleeing vehicle as he attempted to  
15 set up for a pit maneuver and was forced from Georgia Highway 16; he was airlifted to  
16 Grady Memorial Hospital and, as a result of injuries sustained in the crash, died the  
17 following morning, December 2, 2003; and

18 WHEREAS, he was an exemplary law enforcement officer, admired for his disciplined and  
19 steadfast devotion to protecting the safety and welfare of all Georgians; and

20 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia lost a hero and a father when Georgia State Trooper  
21 Tony M. Lumley passed from this life for he held no greater love than that for his wife and  
22 daughters.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
2 the members of this body hereby extend sincere condolences to Tony Lumley's wife, Misty,  
3 and daughters, Nikki and Brooke.

4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
5 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of Georgia State  
6 Trooper Tony M. Lumley.