

House Resolution 1237

By: Representative Greene of the 134th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the City of Colquitt on its selection as a Georgia Municipal Association
2 "City of Excellence"; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, on January 26, 2004, the City of Colquitt was named one of Georgia's ten
4 best managed, most livable cities and was honored as a "City of Excellence" by the
5 Georgia Municipal Association; and

6 WHEREAS, the ten award recipients were selected by a state-wide independent panel and
7 were judged against 14 criteria, including fiscal management, public safety,
8 infrastructure, cultural activities, and downtown viability; and

9 WHEREAS, Colquitt was the only Southwest Georgia city to be so honored and is the
10 smallest city ever to be given this very coveted honor; and

11 WHEREAS, with attractions such as Swamp Gravy, the Cotton Hall Museum, the Mural
12 Tour, the Mayhaw Festival, Tarrer Inn, and the Storytelling Festival, Colquitt offers its
13 citizens and visitors a unique and outstanding array of activities; and

14 WHEREAS, Colquitt is an preeminent city in which to live, raise a family, and conduct
15 business.

16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
17 that the members of this body recognize and commend the City of Colquitt on its
18 selection as a Georgia Municipal Association "City of Excellence."

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is
20 authorized to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the City of Colquitt.