

## House Resolution 1342

By: Representatives Barnes of the 84<sup>th</sup>, Post 2, Dodson of the 84<sup>th</sup>, Post 1, Coleman of the 118<sup>th</sup>, Skipper of the 116<sup>th</sup>, Richardson of the 26<sup>th</sup>, and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Mr. Tony Stewart and inviting him to appear before the House of  
2 Representatives; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Mr. Tony Stewart was born May 20, 1971; it took him less than ten years to win  
4 his first racing championship as, in 1980, at the age of eight, he took home the four-cycle  
5 rookie junior class championship trophy from the Columbus Fairgrounds in Columbus,  
6 Indiana; and

7 WHEREAS, he has not looked back since; and

8 WHEREAS, he has won the International Karting Federation championship, the World  
9 Karting Association national championship, and the United States Auto Club Triple Crown,  
10 by capturing the National Midget, Sprint, and Silver Crown Series titles in a single season;  
11 and

12 WHEREAS, he has won an Indy Racing League championship and, in 2002, the grandest  
13 prize of them all, the NASCAR Winston Cup championship; and

14 WHEREAS, Tony Stewart has nine championship titles to his credit and will continue his  
15 pursuit of excellence twice this year in Georgia at NASCAR's fastest track, Atlanta Motor  
16 Speedway; and

17 WHEREAS, Tony Stewart has been a champion everywhere he has raced and the State of  
18 Georgia can be proud of what he has accomplished while driving his #20 Chevrolet for the  
19 Georgia born Home Depot.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
21 the members of this body commend Mr. Tony Stewart for his tremendous successes on the  
22 race track and express to him best wishes for a successful 2004 NASCAR NEXTEL CUP

1 season and victory at Atlanta Motor Speedway and invite him to appear before the House of  
2 Representatives at a time and date to be determined by the Speaker of the House.

3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
4 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mr. Tony Stewart.