

Senate Resolution 866

By: Senator Mullis of the 53rd

ADOPTED SENATE

A RESOLUTION

1 Dedicating a portion of the Battlefield Parkway in Catoosa County to the memory of Baxter
2 Shavers; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Baxter Shavers was a deputy sheriff of Catoosa County who sacrificed his life
4 in the line of duty on April 14, 1978, in the attempt to apprehend an armed robbery suspect;
5 and

6 WHEREAS, it is fitting and proper that the sacrifice of Baxter Shavers in the line of duty in
7 protecting the citizens of Catoosa County and this state be recognized appropriately.

8 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
9 GEORGIA that the Battlefield Parkway, Georgia State Highway 2, from its intersection with
10 U.S. Highway 27 to its intersection with U.S. Highway 41 in Catoosa County be dedicated
11 to the memory of Baxter Shavers.

12 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Transportation is authorized and
13 directed to place and maintain appropriate markers designating such section of the Battlefield
14 Parkway, State Highway 2, as being dedicated to the memory of Baxter Shavers.

15 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
16 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Department of Transportation.