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House Resolution 1191 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

By: Representatives Smith of the 110th, Smith of the 13th, Post 2, and Buck of the 112th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Designating the Purple Heart Highway; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, members of the armed forces of the United States have defended and continue
- 3 to defend our nation against those who transgress and act against our national interests and
- 4 seek to tarnish the principles of freedom; and
- 5 WHEREAS, countless soldiers, sailors, airmen, and marines have been wounded and have
- 6 given their lives in defense of the United States; and
- 7 WHEREAS, the Purple Heart medal is awarded to those service members who have been
- 8 killed or wounded in the line of duty; and
- 9 WHEREAS, these recipients of the Purple Heart medal deserve the thanks, recognition, and
- 10 respect of all Harris County citizens for their service and devotion to our county, state, and
- 11 nation; and
- 12 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the many achievements,
- 13 accomplishments, and contributions of the recipients of the Purple Heart medal be
- 14 appropriately recognized.
- 15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
- 16 GEORGIA that the length of Georgia Highway 354 beginning just west of Pine Mountain
- 17 at Highway 18 and continuing east through Pine Mountain Valley to the intersection of
- 18 Highway 116 is designated as the Purple Heart Highway, and the Department of
- 19 Transportation is authorized and directed to place and maintain appropriate markers
- 20 designating the Purple Heart Highway.

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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized

- 2 and directed to transmit appropriate copies of this resolution to the Department of
- 3 Transportation and to the Chipley Historical Center of Pine Mountain.