

Senate Resolution 1049

By: Senator Hill of the 4th

#### A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing Mossy Oak Music Park; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Mossy Oak Music Park is dedicated to Talmadge T. and Suejutte E. Lanier,  
3 owners of the family farm on which the park is built; and
- 4 WHEREAS, the park seeks to preserve traditional bluegrass and gospel music by providing  
5 a venue where it can be presented and enjoyed; and
- 6 WHEREAS, each bluegrass and gospel music festival is dedicated to an individual who has  
7 unselfishly supported and contributed to the preservation of bluegrass music as an art form,  
8 especially in South Georgia; and
- 9 WHEREAS, the park provides a safe, drug-free environment where family oriented music  
10 and charitable events can be held; and
- 11 WHEREAS, the park provides a covered concert area seating 600; a playground; kitchen,  
12 bath, and shower houses; a pond; a nurse's station; and walking and bicycle trails for all to  
13 enjoy; and
- 14 WHEREAS, still in its infancy, the park has already proven itself to be an outstanding  
15 community citizen having hosted events of groups such as Habitat For Humanity, Boy Scouts  
16 of America, the American Cancer Society, and many others; and
- 17 WHEREAS, festivals and events contribute significantly to the revenue of the City of Guyton  
18 and the County of Effingham and offer visitors from all across the nation and Canada a  
19 chance to witness and enjoy firsthand life and culture in beautiful, rural South Georgia.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
2 recognize Mossy Oak Music Park for its fine and outstanding contributions to bluegrass  
3 music and the culture and economy of South Georgia.

4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
5 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mossy Oak Music Park.