

## House Resolution 1841

By: Representatives Smith of the 87<sup>th</sup>, Butler of the 88<sup>th</sup>, Post 1, Brown of the 89<sup>th</sup>, and Westmoreland of the 86<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Dr. O. Eugene Tyre and recognizing him as the Coweta Chamber of  
2 Commerce 2004 Citizen of the Year; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Dr. O. Eugene Tyre is the pastor of the First Baptist Church in Newnan,  
4 Georgia, and has been named the Coweta Chamber of Commerce 2004 Citizen of the Year;  
5 and

6 WHEREAS, he holds a Bachelor of Arts from Mercer University and a Master of Divinity  
7 and Doctorate of Divinity from the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary; and

8 WHEREAS, he is a devoted member of the DeKalb County Economic Development  
9 Committee, board member of the Coweta Chamber of Commerce, and member of the  
10 foundation board of the Newnan/Coweta Chamber of Commerce; and

11 WHEREAS, he has served as chairperson for the Newnan/Coweta County chapter of the  
12 American Cancer Society, the Newnan Y.M.C.A.'s board of directors, and the  
13 Newnan/Coweta County Kiwanis Club's Spiritual Aims Committee; and

14 WHEREAS, has given his time to serve as chaplain to the Southwest DeKalb High School  
15 and Newnan High School football teams; and

16 WHEREAS, he volunteers to read and mentor to Mrs. Jones's third-grade class at White Oak  
17 Elementary School; and

18 WHEREAS, he is married to the love of his life, Margaret Tyre, and together they share an  
19 abundant love for their beautiful daughter, Jenny, and glorious grandson, Mihai.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
2 the members of this body commend Dr. O. Eugene Tyre for his faithful service to his  
3 community and recognize him as 2004 Coweta Chamber of Commerce Citizen of the Year.

4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
5 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Dr. O. Eugene Tyre.