

House Resolution 1349 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

By: Representatives Brock of the 5th, Graves of the 10th, Forster of the 3rd, Post 1, and White of the 3rd, Post 2

A RESOLUTION

1 Designating the Rembert Olen McAfee Bridge; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Mr. Rembert Olen McAfee was born in Gordon County on April 20, 1914, the
3 son of Arthur McAfee and Annie Blalock McAfee, and he lived his entire life in the county
4 of his birth, and he passed away on November 9, 2003; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. McAfee farmed for 60 years, and his farm on the Coosawattee River was
6 one of the largest and most productive farms in Gordon County; and

7 WHEREAS, he was a member of Oakman Baptist Church and was an Oakman School
8 trustee, a member of Oakman Community Club, Ranger Community Club, Fairmount
9 Ruritan, and the ASCS Committee and the Red Carpet Cattleman Association; and

10 WHEREAS, he generously donated to the public the land upon which the bridge over the
11 Coosawattee River on U.S. Highway 411 was built; and

12 WHEREAS, Mr. McAfee was honest and straightforward in his dealings and he treated
13 everyone with equal dignity, be he of high estate or low; and

14 WHEREAS, he left behind his beloved wife, Geneva Hunt McAfee, one son, three daughters
15 nine grandchildren, eight step-grandchildren, nine great grandchildren, and 16 step-great
16 grandchildren; and

17 WHEREAS, it is only right and proper that this great man be remembered and honored for
18 his life in the community.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
20 GEORGIA that the bridge over the Coosawattee River on U.S. Highway 411 is designated
21 the Rembert Olen McAfee Bridge, and the Department of Transportation is authorized and

1 directed to place and maintain appropriate markers designating the Rembert Olen McAfee
2 Bridge.

3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
4 and directed to transmit appropriate copies of this resolution to Mrs. Geneva Hunt McAfee
5 and to the Department of Transportation.