

House Resolution 1964

By: Representative Heard of the 70th, Post 3

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the Georgia MATHCOUNTS state champions James Kim, Harrison Brown,
2 Howard Tong, and Ruby Lai and recognizing the 2004 Georgia MATHCOUNTS Team; and
3 for other purposes.

4 WHEREAS, James Kim of Hilsman Middle School, Harrison Brown of Haynes Bridge
5 Middle School, Howard Tong of Chamblee Middle School, and Ruby Lai of Oconee County
6 Middle School outscored 188 other students to win top honors at Georgia's state
7 MATHCOUNTS competition; and

8 WHEREAS, these four sensational mathletes will represent the state at the national
9 competition held in Washington, D.C., as members of the 2004 Georgia MATHCOUNTS
10 Team and will be led by team coach Kent Hite of Chamblee Middle School; and

11 WHEREAS, MATHCOUNTS is the first nation-wide mathematics competition for junior
12 high and middle school students; and

13 WHEREAS, the mission of MATHCOUNTS is to increase interest and involvement in
14 mathematics among middle school students in order to assist in developing a technically
15 literate population and future work force essential to this nation's global competitiveness and
16 its quality of life; and

17 WHEREAS, for their tremendous performance in state-wide competition and their selection
18 to represent the State of Georgia in national competition, it is wholly fitting and proper that
19 these fine young scholars be appropriately recognized.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
21 the members of this body commend Georgia's MATHCOUNTS state champions James Kim,
22 Harrison Brown, Howard Tong, and Ruby Lai; recognize their selection to represent this

1 state as the 2004 Georgia MATHCOUNTS Team; and express our best wishes for future
2 success and victory as they prepare to participate in the national competition.

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 each member of the 2004
5 Georgia MATHCOUNTS Team and their coach Kent Hite.