

## House Resolution 4EX

By: Representatives Coleman of the 118<sup>th</sup>, Keen of the 146<sup>th</sup>, Skipper of the 116<sup>th</sup>, Westmoreland of the 86<sup>th</sup>, Parrish of the 102<sup>nd</sup>, and others

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring Representative Tom Buck; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Representative Tom Buck of the 112th District, the senior member of the House  
3 of Representatives, is not seeking reelection; and
- 4 WHEREAS, his distinguished career has encompassed 19 consecutive terms of office and  
5 he has earned the high esteem of all his colleagues in the House of Representatives; and
- 6 WHEREAS, he has provided stellar leadership as Chairman of the House Committee on  
7 Retirement, the House Committee on the University System, the House Committee on Ways  
8 and Means, and the House Committee on Appropriations; and
- 9 WHEREAS, his expertise on the state budget, developed over years of tireless service as a  
10 House budget conferee, and his prodigious knowledge of tax law and policy have been  
11 invaluable in developing responsible fiscal policies in times of prosperity and times of hard  
12 choices; and
- 13 WHEREAS, as Chairman of the Muscogee House Delegation, he has been attentive to the  
14 needs of his community; and
- 15 WHEREAS, he has been generous with his time and energy for community endeavors,  
16 serving on the board of trustees for the Columbus State University Foundation, St. Francis  
17 Hospital, and the Columbus River Center for the Performing Arts; and
- 18 WHEREAS, his dedication, insight, and tenacity are attributes that have made him an  
19 exemplary member of the House of Representatives.
- 20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
21 the members of this body commend the Honorable Tom Buck for outstanding service to his

1 community, constituents, colleagues, and to the General Assembly and the people of  
2 Georgia.

3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
4 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Representative Tom Buck.