

## House Resolution 338

By: Representatives Hembree of the 67<sup>th</sup>, Smith of the 113<sup>th</sup>, Roberts of the 154<sup>th</sup>, Royal of the 171<sup>st</sup>, Miller of the 106<sup>th</sup>, and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Candice Walker, winner of the 2004 Georgia Occupational Award of  
2 Leadership, and inviting her to appear before the House of Representatives; and for other  
3 purposes.

4 WHEREAS, the Georgia Occupational Award of Leadership (GOAL) program, the first  
5 program of its type in the nation to honor outstanding students in postsecondary technical  
6 colleges, spotlights the vital impact of technical education on Georgia's work force and  
7 emphasizes the dignity of work and personal achievement; and

8 WHEREAS, for 33 years, the GOAL Program has served as an excellent example of a true  
9 partnership among business, industry, and education; and

10 WHEREAS, the state GOAL winner is chosen from among the 37 local technical college  
11 winners to serve as an ambassador for technical education in Georgia; and

12 WHEREAS, Candice Walker is the state's recipient of the 2004 Georgia Occupational  
13 Award of Leadership representing more than 159,000 students benefiting from technical  
14 education programs throughout the state; and

15 WHEREAS, Ms. Walker will receive her Radiologic Technology Diploma from Okefenokee  
16 Technical College where she enrolled to receive the hands-on training necessary to acquire  
17 the knowledge and skills that will afford her a secure future in her chosen profession; and

18 WHEREAS, in pursuing her education, she has brought honor to herself, her family, her  
19 college, and the Georgia Department of Technical and Adult Education which she represents  
20 as Georgia's outstanding technical college student for 2004; and

21 WHEREAS, Ms. Walker is a spokesperson for technical education and makes public  
22 appearances to promote Georgia's Technical College System.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
2 the members of this body congratulate Candice Walker for her outstanding achievements and  
3 convey to her their sincere best wishes for success in her future endeavors and invite her to  
4 appear before this body on a date and time designated by the Speaker of the House of  
5 Representatives.

6 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
7 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Ms. Candice Walker.