

House Resolution 529

By: Representatives Ralston of the 7th and Amerson of the 9th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending Sheriff Billy Carlisle of Dawson County; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Sheriff Billy Carlisle has received the 2004 Volunteer of the Year Award from
3 the Dawson County Chamber of Commerce; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Sheriff Carlisle's decision to enter law enforcement reflects his deep desire to
5 serve his community; and
- 6 WHEREAS, in addition to his duties as Dawson County Sheriff, Sheriff Carlisle serves as
7 chairman of the K-9 Task Force, is president of Dawson County Prevent Child Abuse,
8 secretary of the Georgia Sheriff's Youth Home, vice president of Region Three Georgia
9 Sheriff's Association, and is a member of the Child Fatality Review Panel and the American
10 Professional Society on Abuse of Children; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Sheriff Carlisle also serves on the Dawson County Library Board, Dawson
12 County Family Connection Board, and Kare for Kids; and
- 13 WHEREAS, during his tenure as sheriff, Billy Carlisle has promoted programs such as
14 Neighborhood Watch, Citizens Police Academy, Junior Police Academy, and the high school
15 age Explorers group; and
- 16 WHEREAS, Sheriff Carlisle is especially committed to working with foster children and has
17 served as an officer of the Dawson County Foster Parent Association, and, in addition, he and
18 his wife are foster parents; and
- 19 WHEREAS, Sheriff Carlisle's recognition as Volunteer of the Year in Dawson County
20 reflects his devotion to public service and his strong desire to serve and improve his
21 community.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
2 the members of this body join to commend Sheriff Billy Carlisle of Dawson County and
3 congratulate him upon receiving this special honor.

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 Sheriff Billy Carlisle.