

House Resolution 691

By: Representatives Wix of the 33rd, Johnson of the 37th, and Teilhet of the 40th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending Gwen Sewell; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Gwen Sewell is widely recognized throughout the state as the personification
3 of excellence in education; and
- 4 WHEREAS, this highly respected teacher has served with honor and distinction as a
5 professional educator at South Cobb High School where she teaches English; and
- 6 WHEREAS, she believes that her role as a teacher is to act as an instrument of inspiration
7 to her pupils and to create a positive learning environment while enhancing her students'
8 abilities to analyze and reason; and
- 9 WHEREAS, she is a shining example of the important impact that the efforts of individual
10 classroom teachers are making on the quality of education received by the children of this
11 state; and
- 12 WHEREAS, she encourages students to believe in themselves, to pursue every opportunity
13 for personal growth, to make a commitment to excellence in every aspect of their lives, and
14 to develop a love of learning which will be beneficial to them throughout their lives; and
- 15 WHEREAS, her talent as a teacher is most evident in the fond regard of her fellow teachers,
16 superiors, parents, and especially her students; and
- 17 WHEREAS, in recognition of her outstanding dedication to academic excellence, she was
18 selected by her school's STAR student as the South Cobb High School STAR Teacher.
- 19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
20 the members of this body heartily and gratefully commend Gwen Sewell for her sacrifice,

1 foresight, accomplishment, and contributions on behalf of the young people of this state and
2 congratulate her upon her selection as the South Cobb High School STAR Teacher.

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 Gwen Sewell.