

House Resolution 94 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

By: Representative Carter of the 159th

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring the memory of Jack William Shearouse and designating the Jack Shearouse Bridge
2 in Chatham County; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Mr. Jack William Shearouse was a native of Pooler, Georgia, who attended
4 Georgia Military College and Armstrong State College; and

5 WHEREAS, he served his country with honor and distinction in the United States Marine
6 Corps and the United States Air Force; and

7 WHEREAS, he returned to his home community and became a well-known and successful
8 member of the business community where he owned and operated Shearouse Lumber
9 Company and was a founding member of the Board of Directors of The Savannah Bank; and

10 WHEREAS, he served his community as Mayor of the City of Pooler for ten years and was
11 a leader in securing many community improvements, including the construction of a new city
12 hall, the establishment of a senior citizens' building, the expansion of the fire department,
13 the establishment of the Mighty Eighth Air Force Heritage Museum, and the construction of
14 the Pooler Parkway; and

15 WHEREAS, he was a devoted family man, an admired and respected gentleman, a leading
16 citizen of his community and the State of Georgia, and a friend to all who were privileged
17 to know him.

18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
19 GEORGIA that the Pooler Parkway bridge over U.S. Highway 80 in Pooler, Georgia, is
20 hereby designated as the Jack Shearouse Bridge in honor of the memory of this distinguished
21 Georgian.

1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Transportation is authorized and
2 directed to erect and maintain appropriate signs so designating the bridge.

3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House is authorized and directed to
4 transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of Jack William Shearouse.