A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing the Georgia Recreation and Parks Association on February 7, 2006; and for

- 2 other purposes.
- WHEREAS, for 61 years, the Georgia Recreation and Parks Association has been devoted
 to the development of quality recreational facilities and programs throughout our state; and

5 WHEREAS, from sports to arts and crafts to cultural and nature-centered activities, 6 recreation is an important and enriching part of the lives of Georgians of all ages and 7 abilities; and

8 WHEREAS, by offering wholesome and educational activities, successful recreation 9 programs can be highly beneficial to society in the fight against juvenile delinquency, drug 10 abuse, loneliness, and depression; and

11 WHEREAS, as our modern lives are busier than ever, Georgia's recreational facilities and

12 programs assist our hard-working citizens in finding ways to make their precious leisure time

13 more fulfilling; and

WHEREAS, the Georgia Recreation and Parks Association performs an invaluable service
to all Georgians in its efforts to ensure that our state has the best possible recreation facilities
and programs for all to enjoy.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
on February 7, 2006, recognize the Georgia Recreation and Parks Association for its
organized efforts and outstanding commitment to public recreation services and convey their
appreciation and best wishes.

- 1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 2 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Georgia Recreation and Parks
- 3 Association.