

Senate Resolution 804

By: Senators Moody of the 56th and Shafer of the 48th

A RESOLUTION

1 To create the North Fulton Boundary Commission; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, the area of North Fulton County is populated by three municipalities:
3 Alpharetta, Roswell, and Mountain Park, and two additional municipalities, Milton and
4 Riverside, have been proposed; and

5 WHEREAS, there has been a significant amount of discussion concerning the appropriate
6 boundaries for such municipalities; and

7 WHEREAS, it is the intent of the General Assembly to permit the local jurisdictions to
8 resolve these issues among themselves, if possible; and

9 WHEREAS, the General Assembly believes that the establishment of a commission
10 composed of representatives of each of the affected municipalities would be the best vehicle
11 for achieving a resolution of these issues.

12 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
13 GEORGIA that there is created the North Fulton Boundary Commission to be composed of
14 one representative each selected by the governing authority of the City of Alpharetta, the
15 City of Mountain Park, and the City of Roswell and, if authorized in the 2006 session of the
16 General Assembly, the City of Milton and the City of Riverside. The chairperson and vice
17 chairperson of the commission shall be elected from among the members of the commission
18 by the members of the commission.

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the commission shall undertake a study of the
20 boundaries of such municipalities taking into account the conditions, needs, issues, and
21 problems related thereto including the natural boundaries, communities of interest, service
22 delivery, and the preferences of the residents affected and shall prepare a report
23 recommending any changes which the commission deems necessary or appropriate. The

1 commission may conduct such meetings at such places and at such times as it may deem
2 necessary or convenient to enable it to exercise fully and effectively its powers, perform its
3 duties, and accomplish the objectives and purposes of this resolution. The members of the
4 commission shall not receive any compensation for attending the meetings of the
5 commission. The commission shall make a report of its findings and recommendations, with
6 suggestions for proposed legislation, if any, on or before February 1, 2007. The commission
7 shall stand abolished on February 1, 2007.