

## House Resolution 1330

By: Representatives Reece of the 27<sup>th</sup>, Rogers of the 26<sup>th</sup>, and Mills of the 25<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Remembering and recognizing the life of Trummie Evans; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Mrs. Evans moved to Gainesville, Georgia, with her husband John W. Evans,  
3 Sr., in 1936; and
- 4 WHEREAS, in the aftermath of tornadoes destroying much of Gainesville, Mrs. Evans and  
5 her husband selflessly helped to rebuild the city; and
- 6 WHEREAS, in 1941, Mrs. Evans was a founding member of Antioch Baptist Church in  
7 Gainesville, which stands today as one of the largest African American Baptist churches in  
8 the area; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Mrs. Evans was the first African American foster parent in Hall County and  
10 fostered and contributed to the lives of more than 50 foster children; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Mrs. Evans leaves behind her the legacy of her family that includes 11 children,  
12 40 grandchildren, 53 great-grandchildren, and 23 great-great-grandchildren.
- 13 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
14 the members of this body join together in remembering and recognizing the life of Mrs.  
15 Trummie Evans.
- 16 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
17 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Evans family.