

House Resolution 1758

By: Representative Bryant of the 160<sup>th</sup>

#### A RESOLUTION

1 Saluting the business, civic, and community success of Joseph Addison, President of Joe  
2 Addison Motors of Savannah, Georgia; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Joseph Addison opened his first automobile dealership in 1969 and since that  
4 time has expanded to four dealerships in the Savannah area; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. Addison operates with a strong work ethic and spirit of civic duty and is  
6 dedicated to creating new jobs and building communities; and

7 WHEREAS, his business has always centered around family and dedication to his  
8 employees; and

9 WHEREAS, his commitment to community is further demonstrated by his membership in  
10 the Savannah Chamber of Commerce and the Savannah Renewal and Development Board  
11 and his service on the Board of Directors of the Ralph Mark Gilbert Museum and the Georgia  
12 Auto Dealers License Board; and

13 WHEREAS, since 1970, he has been a member of GIADA serving as 1st Vice President and  
14 1st Vice President-at-Large and, in 1994, was voted Quality Dealer of the Year by GIADA;  
15 and

16 WHEREAS, he has been an active member of Tremont Temple Baptist Church for over 50  
17 years, and he is a devoted husband to his wife, Alma Osborne Williams Addison, and a  
18 loving father and grandfather; and

19 WHEREAS, Joe Addison Motors now celebrates its 37th year in business, employing local  
20 residents and providing quality products and services for all; and

1 WHEREAS, Joe Addison is an integral part of the life of his community and his many  
2 contributions are worthy of commendation.

3 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
4 the members of this body commend Joseph Addison for his valuable contributions to the City  
5 of Savannah and the State of Georgia as a businessman, civic leader, and public servant.

6 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
7 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Joseph Addison.