

## House Resolution 2224

By: Representative Dukes of the 150<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Ms. Tesharra C. Stephens on being named the Merry Acres Middle School  
2 Teacher of the Year; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, a proper quality education for the young people of this state is one of the most  
4 important objectives of the General Assembly; and

5 WHEREAS, excellence in education depends on the dedication and diligence of teachers  
6 such as Ms. Tesharra C. Stephens of Merry Acres Middle School; and

7 WHEREAS, the Teacher of the Year awards are presented by local school districts in  
8 recognition of outstanding education professionals; and

9 WHEREAS, Ms. Stephens has earned great distinction for teaching excellence as a result of  
10 her passionate commitment to her pupils and has been honored as the Merry Acres Middle  
11 School Teacher of the Year; and

12 WHEREAS, in recognition of her contributions to the education and welfare of Georgia's  
13 students, it is abundantly fitting and proper for this body to honor the extraordinary  
14 accomplishments and academic achievements of this remarkable teacher.

15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
16 the members of this body join in commending Ms. Tesharra C. Stephens for being selected  
17 as the Merry Acres Middle School Teacher of the Year and express their gratitude for her  
18 invaluable contributions to education in Georgia.

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
20 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Ms. Tesharra C. Stephens.