

House Resolution 126

By: Representative Williams of the 165th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the contributions of black contractors to the State of Georgia, recognizing
2 February 1, 2007, as "Black Contractors Day" in Georgia, and inviting representatives from
3 the Black Contractors Association to appear before the House of Representatives; and for
4 other purposes.

5 WHEREAS, construction is the foundation of economic growth in this state and contributes
6 significantly to the quality of life of Georgia citizens; and

7 WHEREAS, black contractors have been an integral part of this state's construction industry
8 and have made major contributions to its growth and development; and

9 WHEREAS, collectively, black contractors have a rich tradition of imparting great service
10 and have promoted skill, craftsmanship, and professionalism within the construction
11 industry; and

12 WHEREAS, even when confronted with barriers to full equality within the industry, black
13 contractors have maintained an entrepreneurial spirit and prevailed in expanding their
14 opportunities for service and success.

15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
16 the members of this body recognize the contributions of black contractors to the State of
17 Georgia and recognize February 1, 2007, as "Black Contractors Day" in Georgia.

18 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that representatives from the Black Contractors Association
19 are hereby invited to appear before the House of Representatives on a day and at a time
20 designated by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.