

House Resolution 242

By: Representative Bridges of the 10th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Dedicating the Edgar Stamey Memorial Interchange; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Mr. Edgar Stamey was well-known and well-respected in the Batesville
3 community; and
- 4 WHEREAS, after spending his whole life in the Batesville area, he passed away in the Fall
5 of 2003; and
- 6 WHEREAS, he spent much of his time working as the caretaker of the Baptist church
7 cemetery, and he also owned and operated the Batesville General Store; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Mr. Stamey and his wife helped to establish the Batesville Fire Department and
9 at the age of 70 he was the oldest person in the State of Georgia to earn firefighter
10 certification; and
- 11 WHEREAS, he was the chaplain of the Batesville Fire Department from 1985 until his
12 retirement in 1992; and
- 13 WHEREAS, this outstanding citizen lived a life of service to his church and his community
14 and showed the way for others to give back to the communities in which they lived.
- 15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
16 GEORGIA that the intersection of SR 255 and SR 197 in Habersham County be dedicated
17 as the Edgar Stamey Memorial Interchange, and that the Department of Transportation is
18 authorized and directed to place and maintain appropriate markers dedicating the Edgar
19 Stamey Memorial Interchange.

- 1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 2 and directed to transmit appropriate copies of this resolution to the family of Mr. Edgar
- 3 Stamey and to the Department of Transportation.