

Senate Resolution 404

By: Senator Hill of the 4th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 To dedicate the John Paul Ellis Highway; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Mr. John Paul Ellis lives in Hopeulikit, Georgia, with his wife, Beatrice B.
3 Ellis; and
- 4 WHEREAS, they have operated a grocery business there since the late 1930s; and
- 5 WHEREAS, they also ran a farm and raised five children in the community; and
- 6 WHEREAS, John Paul was a county commissioner in Bulloch County for approximately 25
7 years; and
- 8 WHEREAS, he was instrumental in obtaining a four-lane road in the county from Hopeulikit
9 to Statesboro; and
- 10 WHEREAS, it is only fitting to honor a man who has devoted so much of his time to serving
11 his community and the State of Georgia.
- 12 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
13 GEORGIA that the portion of US 80/SR 26 from Portal to Hopeulikit, in Bulloch County,
14 be dedicated as the John Paul Ellis Highway, and that the Department of Transportation is
15 authorized and directed to place and maintain appropriate markers dedicating the John Paul
16 Ellis Highway.
- 17 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
18 to transmit appropriate copies of this resolution to John Paul Ellis and to the Department of
19 Transportation.