

## House Resolution 1280

By: Representatives Keen of the 179<sup>th</sup>, Hill of the 180<sup>th</sup>, and Lane of the 167<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Commending and recognizing Dr. Dorothy L. Lord for 17 years of service as president of  
2 Coastal Georgia Community College; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, for 17 years Dr. Dorothy L. Lord has been a visionary leader who has  
4 established Coastal Georgia Community College as a college that provides life-changing  
5 experiences for those who attend; and

6 WHEREAS, Dr. Lord has worked tirelessly to transform the lives of Coastal Georgia  
7 residents by promoting the availability of quality education; and

8 WHEREAS, Dr. Lord has established community and industry partnerships in the Coastal  
9 Georgia area to ensure an educated workforce that is essential for the area's economic  
10 growth; and

11 WHEREAS, Dr. Lord has received numerous awards and recognition for her service,  
12 including the 2005 Phi Delta Kappa Service Key Award for meritorious leadership in service  
13 to public education; a scholarship established in her name in 2002 by the Fourteen Black  
14 Men of Glynn; being named a Paul Harris Fellow by the Brunswick Rotary Club in 2000; the  
15 Glenn Bryant Award for Outstanding Public Service in Economic Development to the  
16 Coastal Region of Georgia by the Coastal Area District Development Authority; the  
17 Distinguished College Administrator Award by Phi Theta Kappa Chapters, the Shirley B.  
18 Gordon Award of Distinction by the national chapter of Phi Theta Kappa, and presidential  
19 advisor to Georgia PTK chapters where she started the first "All Georgia Academic First  
20 Team" recognition program; being one of two persons to receive the 2006 Emory Dawson  
21 Humanitarian Award from the Brunswick Elks Lodge; and the Outstanding Service Award  
22 from the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools in  
23 2003; and

1 WHEREAS, Dr. Lord has worked for 17 years to fulfill the mission of Coastal Georgia  
2 Community College.

3 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
4 the members of this body recognize Dr. Dorothy L. Lord and commend her for her  
5 outstanding contributions to Coastal Georgia Community College, the community, and our  
6 state.

7 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
8 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Dr. Dorothy L. Lord.