

Senate Resolution 1191

By: Senator Douglas of the 17th

#### A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Eastridge Community Church for its 40 Days of Community Missions project;  
2 and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Eastridge Community Church in Covington, Georgia, has the highest average  
4 Sunday attendance of any church in Newton County, with more than 1,200 faithful  
5 congregation members; and

6 WHEREAS, Eastridge Community Church's 40 Days of Community Missions project  
7 culminated with a county-wide highway cleanup, appropriately designated "Clean Up  
8 Newton County Day"; and

9 WHEREAS, as part of this project, Eastridge Community Church was able to enlist more  
10 than 1,000 citizens to pick up litter and beautify the roads and highways throughout the  
11 Newton County community; and

12 WHEREAS, those who participated in this worthy cause, supported by Home Depot,  
13 Covington Police Department, Newton County Sheriff's Department and the Georgia State  
14 Patrol, collected hundreds of bags of trash in a matter of hours; and

15 WHEREAS, as a result of the efforts of Eastridge Community Church and its congregation,  
16 the streets are cleaner and Newton County is a better community in which to live, work, and  
17 play.

18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that this body commends the  
19 members of Eastridge Community Church for their achievements and service to the citizens  
20 of Newton County and all of Georgia, and thanks them for continuing to be good citizens of  
21 the community by organizing and participating in events such as the 40 Days of Community  
22 Missions project.

- 1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 2 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Eastridge Community Church.