

House Resolution 1802

By: Representatives Rogers of the 26th, Mills of the 25th, Collins of the 27th, and Benton of the 31st

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring the life of and expressing regret at the passing of George Edwin Brannon, Jr.; and
2 for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, on March 20, 2008, the State of Georgia lost one of its finest and most
4 distinguished citizens with the passing of George Edwin Brannon, Jr.; and

5 WHEREAS, this long-time resident of Gainesville, Georgia, was recognized by the citizens
6 of his community for the vital role he played in leadership and for his deep personal
7 commitment to the welfare of the citizens of Georgia and the United States; and

8 WHEREAS, he diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of his time,
9 talents, and energy toward the betterment of his community as evidenced dramatically by his
10 many years of superlative service as a loan officer with Suntrust Mortgage and owner of
11 Brannon Construction Company; and

12 WHEREAS, Mr. Brannon grew up in Atlanta, Georgia, graduated from Grady High School,
13 and attended the University of Georgia where he earned a degree in finance in 1961; and

14 WHEREAS, he served his country with honor and distinction as a member of the United
15 States Naval Reserves, and was an active member of the First Baptist Church of Gainesville,
16 Georgia; and

17 WHEREAS, he was a loving husband to his wife of 46 years, Janice DeLozier Brannon, and
18 a devoted father to his children, grandchildren, and step-grandchildren; and

19 WHEREAS, this singular gentleman was a person of magnanimous strengths with an
20 unimpeachable reputation for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

1 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that this body recognize and honor the life
2 of this native son.

3 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
4 the members of this body express their deepest and most sincere regret at the passing of
5 George Edwin Brannon, Jr., and commend him for a lifetime of efficient, effective, unselfish,
6 and dedicated service.

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 the family of George Edwin
9 Brannon, Jr.