

House Resolution 2065

By: Representative Ralston of the 7th

A RESOLUTION

1 Expressing regret at the passing of George Marshall Spruill, Jr.; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, in January, 2008, the State of Georgia lost one of its finest and most
3 distinguished citizens with the untimely passing of George Marshall Spruill, Jr., and

4 WHEREAS, he was an honest and dedicated public servant who strived for excellence in all
5 his endeavors and whose primary concern was the welfare and safety of the citizens of the
6 State of Georgia; and

7 WHEREAS, this exceptional individual exhibited outstanding leadership and meticulous
8 attention to detail in all his duties throughout his lengthy career of public service as
9 Secretary-Treasurer of the Georgia Department Transportation, especially during its
10 exceptional growth period of the 1950's, 1960's, and 1970's, where he started as an elevator
11 operator after serving in the United States Army Air Corp as a P-38 pilot in World War II;
12 and

13 WHEREAS, his unparalleled organizational and leadership talents, his remarkable patience
14 and diplomacy, his keen sense of vision, and his acute sensitivity to the citizens of his
15 community and state earned him the respect and admiration of his colleagues and associates;
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17 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
18 exemplary Georgian be remembered.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
20 this body joins together to express their deepest and most sincere regret at the passing of
21 George Marshall Spruill, Jr.

- 1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 2 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of George
- 3 Marshall Spruill, Jr.