

Senate Resolution 1126

By: Senators Mullis of the 53rd, Williams of the 19th, Pearson of the 51st, Staton of the 18th,  
Moody of the 56th and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Proposing an amendment to the Constitution so as to provide that members of the State  
2 Transportation Board may be recalled and shall be elected to serve the same term as  
3 members of the General Assembly; to provide for submission of this amendment for  
4 ratification or rejection; and for other purposes.

5 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

### 6 SECTION 1.

7 Article IV, Section IV, Paragraph I of the Constitution is amended by revising subparagraph  
8 (a) as follows:

9 "(a) There shall be a State Transportation Board composed of as many members as there  
10 are congressional districts in the state. The member of the board from each congressional  
11 district shall be elected by a majority vote of the members of the House of Representatives  
12 and Senate whose respective districts are embraced or partly embraced within such  
13 congressional district meeting in caucus. The members of the board in office on ~~June 30,~~  
14 ~~1983~~ December 31, 2010, shall not serve out the remainder of their respective terms. The  
15 General Assembly shall provide by law the procedure for the election of members, ~~and~~ for  
16 filling vacancies on the board, and for recall of members. Members shall serve for ~~terms~~  
17 of five years the same term as members of the General Assembly unless recalled and until  
18 their successors are elected and qualified."

### 19 SECTION 2.

20 The above proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be published and submitted as  
21 provided in Article X, Section I, Paragraph II of the Constitution. The ballot submitting the  
22 above proposed amendment shall have written or printed thereon the following:

23 "( ) YES Shall the Constitution of Georgia be amended so as to provide that members  
24 ( ) NO of the State Transportation Board may be recalled and shall be elected to  
25 serve for the same term as members of the General Assembly?"

26 All persons desiring to vote in favor of ratifying the proposed amendment shall vote "Yes."  
27 All persons desiring to vote against ratifying the proposed amendment shall vote "No." If  
28 such amendment shall be ratified as provided in said Paragraph of the Constitution, it shall  
29 become a part of the Constitution of this state.