

## House Resolution 189

By: Representatives Wix of the 33<sup>rd</sup>, Smyre of the 132<sup>nd</sup>, and Porter of the 143<sup>rd</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Ms. Betty Gray; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Ms. Betty Gray has dedicated an amazing 54 years molding young minds and  
3 challenging students through her work in the field of education; and
- 4 WHEREAS, this highly respected professional educator and administrator began her career  
5 in Cobb County, Georgia, teaching English at South Cobb High School and continued to  
6 serve Cobb County schools as a high school counselor, the assistant principal of Wheeler  
7 High School, and the principal of Sedelia Park Elementary School; and
- 8 WHEREAS, she believes that her continuing role as a teacher and administrator is to act as  
9 an instrument of inspiration and enthusiasm to her pupils and to create a positive learning  
10 environment through the encouragement of competitive instincts in students and addressing  
11 the special needs of her students by painting the picture of success; and
- 12 WHEREAS, she has been committed to the education of children in Cobb County for the  
13 past two decades, serving for four terms as a member of the Cobb County School Board; and
- 14 WHEREAS, Ms. Gray has long been recognized by the citizens of this state for the vital role  
15 that she has played in the teaching profession and her deep personal commitment to the  
16 education of the students of Georgia; and
- 17 WHEREAS, in recognition of her contributions to the students in this state, it is abundantly  
18 fitting and proper for this body to honor the extraordinary commitment and accomplishments  
19 of this outstanding individual.
- 20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
21 the members of this body heartily and gratefully commend Ms. Betty Gray for her over five  
22 decades of sacrifice, foresight, accomplishment, and contributions on behalf of education in

23 Georgia and for the positive influence she has had upon the lives and futures of countless  
24 young people in this state.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
26 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Ms. Betty Gray.