

House Resolution 345

By: Representatives Gordon of the 162nd, Stephens of the 161st, Bryant of the 160th, Day of the 163rd, Carter of the 159th, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing Saturday, July 11, 2009, as Georgia Youth Neighborhood Entrepreneur Day;
2 and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the members of this body believe in the importance of community involvement
4 in local youth, grounded in the principle that a community that invests in youth will
5 guarantee the community's well being and long-term quality of life; and

6 WHEREAS, providing youth with access to business and the opportunity to develop business
7 models and plans fosters essential life skills and promotes excellent future community
8 leaders; and

9 WHEREAS, involvement in entrepreneurial activities will strengthen the character and
10 competence of Georgia's youth and ensure our students' future academic success, their
11 preparation for Georgia's jobs of the future, and their ability to compete in a global economy;
12 and

13 WHEREAS, on Georgia Youth Neighborhood Entrepreneur Day, communities are
14 encouraged to provide advice, support, and guidance to neighborhood youth to establish a
15 small business, with the help of adult supervision, in order to provide exposure to business
16 and entrepreneurship.

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
18 the members of this body call on leaders in business and all citizens of Georgia to provide
19 opportunity and exposure to business principles and the spirit of entrepreneurship on
20 Saturday, July 11, 2009, Georgia Youth Neighborhood Entrepreneur Day.

21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
22 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to members of the public and
23 the press.