

Senate Resolution 502

By: Senators Buckner of the 44th and Seay of the 34th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Tyler Ondrea Jones, Mount Zion High School's 2009 STAR Student, and
2 Lynette Swint, Mount Zion High School's 2009 STAR Teacher; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, a proper quality education for the young people of this state is the single most
4 important objective of the General Assembly; and

5 WHEREAS, the STAR program, sponsored by the Georgia Chamber of Commerce and the
6 Professional Association of Georgia Educators, focuses public attention on Georgia's
7 outstanding students and the teachers who have been most instrumental in their academic
8 development; and

9 WHEREAS, each school has one STAR Student who in turn has the opportunity to choose
10 a STAR Teacher that has inspired and encouraged them throughout their high school career;
11 and

12 WHEREAS, Tyler Ondrea Jones has maintained a 4.106 grade point average and is a
13 member of the JROTC honor society Kitty Hawk, the Beta Club, and the National Honor
14 Society; and

15 WHEREAS, a dynamic leader and scholar, Tyler serves as Mount Zion High School's
16 videographer for the football and basketball teams and has served as drill instructor for
17 JROTC freshmen students; and

18 WHEREAS, Tyler chose Lynette Swint as her STAR Teacher for the support and guidance
19 she has provided throughout the years; and

20 WHEREAS, this STAR Student has personified the selfless dedication, mental agility, verbal
21 adroitness, and personal maturity necessary for superlative academic performance, and she
22 plans to attend the Georgia Institute of Technology and study chemical engineering; and

23 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia looks with great anticipation toward the future of this
24 bright and promising young citizen and her STAR Teacher, Lynette Swint.

25 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
26 commend Tyler Ondrea Jones on her selection as Mount Zion High School's 2009 STAR
27 Student, congratulate Lynette Swint on her distinction as Mount Zion High School's 2009
28 STAR Teacher, and express to them their sincerest best wishes for continued success.

29 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
30 to transmit appropriate copies of this resolution to Tyler Ondrea Jones and Lynette Swint.