

Senate Resolution 722

By: Senator Chapman of the 3rd

#### A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring and celebrating the 82nd birthday of Mrs. Willie Mae "Kat" Vick Woods; and for  
2 other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Mrs. Willie Mae "Kat" Vick Woods was born on April 7, 1927, in Sylvester,  
4 Georgia; and

5 WHEREAS, Mrs. Woods began working at the age of 16 in personnel for the builder of  
6 World War II Liberty ships, J.A. Jones Construction Company, in Brunswick, Georgia; and

7 WHEREAS, after many years with J.A. Jones, Mrs. Woods joined Southern Bell to work as  
8 a switchboard operator; and

9 WHEREAS, Mrs. Woods is united in love and marriage to her wonderful husband, Levi, and  
10 they have been blessed with three loving and devoted children; and

11 WHEREAS, the devotion, patience, and understanding she has demonstrated have provided  
12 the foundation and framework of success in which all of her family members have developed  
13 and flourished; and

14 WHEREAS, known as the neighborhood mom of the Highland Park community of  
15 Brunswick, Mrs. Woods always had an endless supply of cookies and Kool-Aid for the  
16 neighborhood children and had a great amount of tolerance for their many shenanigans; and

17 WHEREAS, this distinguished gentlewoman has given inspiration to many through her high  
18 ideals, morals, and deep concern for her fellow citizens, and she possesses the vast wisdom  
19 which only comes through experience and the strength of character which is achieved  
20 through overcoming the many challenges of life; and

21 WHEREAS, she is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for  
22 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness, and by the example she has made of her life,  
23 she makes this world a better place in which to live, and it is only fitting and proper that she  
24 be appropriately recognized during this very special and memorable time of her life.

25 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
26 join in commending Mrs. Willie Mae "Kat" Vick Woods on the occasion of her 82nd  
27 birthday and wishing her many more years of happiness.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
29 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mrs. Willie Mae "Kat" Vick Woods.