

## House Resolution 973

By: Representative Scott of the 2<sup>nd</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending the Rossville Downtown Development Authority; and for  
2 other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, established in 1983, the Rossville Downtown Development Authority (RDDA)  
4 began as a means to promote redevelopment and revitalization in the Downtown Rossville  
5 area; and

6 WHEREAS, the RDDA consists of seven volunteer board directors dedicated to promoting  
7 public welfare through trade, commerce, and development in Rossville; and

8 WHEREAS, Interim Chairman Ron Wade has conscientiously and diligently devoted his  
9 time, talents, and energy to the RDDA, recruiting and placing directors and serving as  
10 inspiration and motivation to all members; and

11 WHEREAS, the RDDA has established an advisory committee to assist the board directors  
12 in increasing the economic development of the city; and

13 WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council of Rossville have recently approved an expansion  
14 of the RDDA to include more businesses and have a greater impact on the future of  
15 Rossville; and

16 WHEREAS, the RDDA has used its 2006 Rossville Urban Redevelopment Study to guide  
17 its actions and formulate plans for making Rossville a leading city in the State of Georgia;  
18 and

19 WHEREAS, it is evident that the City of Rossville has prospered from the work of the  
20 RDDA and has become known as a leader in economic development throughout the State of  
21 Georgia and the nation.

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
23 the members of this body recognize the Rossville Downtown Development Authority and  
24 its board of directors for the significant programs and projects supporting economic  
25 development, job retention, and job growth for the community, the region, and the State of  
26 Georgia.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
28 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Interim Chairman of the  
29 Rossville Downtown Development Authority, Ron Wade.