

Senate Resolution 341

By: Senator Rogers of the 21st

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Sara Christiana Loudermilk; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Sara Christiana Loudermilk has shown by the example of her academic and
3 civic accomplishments that the pursuit and attainment of success are within the reach of the
4 young people of this state; and

5 WHEREAS, Christiana is the daughter of Barry and Desiree Loudermilk and has been a
6 member of the Rome Composite Squadron of the Civil Air Patrol since 2005; and

7 WHEREAS, she was recently awarded the Civil Air Patrol's General Carl A. Spaatz Award,
8 which is the highest cadet award and elevates Christiana to the esteemed rank of Cadet
9 Colonel; and

10 WHEREAS, since its inception in 1964, there have only been 1,782 Spaatz Award recipients,
11 including only 45 from the State of Georgia, with only one half of one percent of all cadets
12 receiving this prestigious award; and

13 WHEREAS, Christiana has distinguished herself with the Civil Air Patrol by achieving all
14 five Cadet Program milestone awards, placing third with the GAWG Cadet Color Guard
15 Competition team event and earning the Fastest Female Runner Award, and completing
16 Emergency Services qualifications; and

17 WHEREAS, her numerous honors and awards with the Civil Air Patrol includes a
18 Commander's Commendation, a Wing Commander's Coin of Excellence, a Community
19 Service Award, a Find Ribbon, a Unit Citation, and an AFA Outstanding Cadet of the Year
20 in 2006; and

21 WHEREAS, this community leader has served on the executive committee of the Bartow
22 County Teenage Republicans, as a legislative page for the Georgia House of Representatives,
23 and currently serves as an aide to the Georgia State Senate; and

24 WHEREAS, all Georgians are proud of young women who, like Christiana, represent the
25 very best that this state has to offer; and

26 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia looks with great anticipation toward the future of this
27 bright and promising young citizen.

28 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
29 commend Sara Christiana Loudermilk for her service to her community and the Civil Air
30 Patrol and congratulate her on the most prestigious honor of receiving a General Carl A.
31 Spaatz Award.

32 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
33 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Sara Christiana Loudermilk.