

## House Resolution 1017

By: Representatives Welch of the 110<sup>th</sup>, Holt of the 112<sup>th</sup>, and Dickerson of the 95<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Tiffani Alexander; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Tiffani Alexander of Covington, Georgia, has earned national recognition by  
3 being honored with the 2011 Prudential Spirit of Community Award and has been named one  
4 of the top two youth volunteers in Georgia; and

5 WHEREAS, established in 1995 by Prudential Financial and the National Association of  
6 Secondary School Principals, the Prudential Spirit of Community Award honors young  
7 volunteers across America who have demonstrated an extraordinary commitment to service  
8 in their community; and

9 WHEREAS, a home-schooled eighth grader, Tiffani created and presided over a "bug club"  
10 for children at a child abuse prevention center, where she shares her knowledge and passion  
11 for entomology with the children of Prevent Child Abuse Rockdale; and

12 WHEREAS, for her project, "Butterflies, Beetles, and Bees, Oh My!," Tiffani planned and  
13 organized age-appropriate lessons, caught insects to share with the children, and brought her  
14 own pet beetles, Jersey and Huron, to classes; and

15 WHEREAS, the success of the State of Georgia, the strength of communities, and the vitality  
16 of this nation depend heavily upon the service of young people and their willingness to  
17 devote their time, energy, and talent to others; and

18 WHEREAS, Tiffani represents the true spirit of service, peer leadership, and responsibility,  
19 and the State of Georgia looks with great anticipation to the future of this bright and  
20 promising young student.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
22 the members of this body commend Tiffani Alexander's incredible community service to this

23 state and extend congratulations for being recognized with the 2011 Prudential Spirit of  
24 Community Award.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
26 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Tiffani Alexander.