

House Resolution 1074

By: Representatives Hatfield of the 177th, Ralston of the 7th, Jones of the 46th, O`Neal of the 146th, Smith of the 168th, and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring the life and memory of Mr. Tom Crosby, Jr.; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia mourns the loss of one of its most distinguished citizens
3 with the passing of Mr. Tom Crosby, Jr., on March 24, 2011; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Mr. Crosby was born on December 4, 1928, in Pearson, Georgia, a beloved son
5 of the late Tom Crosby, Sr., and Emma Walsh Crosby; and
- 6 WHEREAS, a resident of Waycross since 1954, Mr. Crosby owned and operated Norton Tire
7 until his retirement in 1985; and
- 8 WHEREAS, he diligently and conscientiously served the citizens of District 150 in the
9 Georgia House of Representatives for seven terms; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Mr. Crosby was united in love and marriage to the late Marie Rimes Crosby,
11 and was blessed with the love and support of his children, Mark Crosby, Gary and Leslie
12 Crosby, and Thomas N. and Karen Crosby; and his grandchildren, Dayne and Lara Crosby,
13 Ethan Crosby, and Dana and Terry Waters; and
- 14 WHEREAS, he gave inspiration to many through his high ideals, morals, and deep concern
15 for his fellow citizens, and the devotion, patience, and understanding he demonstrated to his
16 family and friends were admired by others; and
- 17 WHEREAS, he was a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation
18 for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness and, by the example he made of his life, he
19 made this world a better place in which to live; and

20 WHEREAS, a compassionate and generous man, Mr. Crosby will long be remembered for
21 his love of family and friendship, and this loyal father, grandfather, brother, and friend will
22 be missed by all who had the great fortune of knowing him.

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
24 the members of this body join in honoring the life and memory of Mr. Tom Crosby, Jr., and
25 express their deepest and most sincere regret at his passing.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
27 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of Mr. Tom
28 Crosby, Jr.