

## House Resolution 1223

By: Representatives Parrish of the 156<sup>th</sup>, Tankersley of the 158<sup>th</sup>, Burns of the 157<sup>th</sup>, Purcell of the 159<sup>th</sup>, and Dutton of the 166<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Alvie Coes III and inviting him to be recognized by the House of  
2 Representatives; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Alvie Coes III is the state recipient of the Technical College System of Georgia  
4 2011 Georgia Occupational Award of Leadership (GOAL), which is the first program of its  
5 type in the nation to honor outstanding technical college students; and

6 WHEREAS, GOAL brings together Georgia's business, government, and industry leaders  
7 with this state's technical colleges to celebrate technical education's vital impact on Georgia's  
8 workforce, prosperity, and future; and

9 WHEREAS, for 40 years, the GOAL program has served as an excellent example of a true  
10 partnership among business, industry, and education; and

11 WHEREAS, Alvie was selected from among 27 Technical College System of Georgia  
12 GOAL winners who have demonstrated excellent academic and leadership abilities at their  
13 respective technical colleges; and

14 WHEREAS, he is a funeral service education student from Ogeechee Technical College,  
15 where he enrolled to receive the very best training necessary to acquire the knowledge and  
16 skills that would afford him a secure future in his chosen profession; and

17 WHEREAS, in pursuing his education, Alvie brought honor to himself, his family, Ogeechee  
18 Technical College, and the entire Technical College System of Georgia, which he represents  
19 as Georgia's outstanding technical college student for 2011; and

20 WHEREAS, he personifies the selfless dedication, mental agility, verbal adroitness, and  
21 personal maturity necessary for superlative academic performance; and

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

24 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
25 the members of this body join in honoring the 2011 Georgia Occupational Award of  
26 Leadership recipient, Alvie Coes III, and invite him to be recognized by the House of  
27 Representatives at a date and time designated by the Speaker of the House.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
29 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Alvie Coes III.