

## House Resolution 1676

By: Representatives Smyre of the 132<sup>nd</sup>, Hugley of the 133<sup>rd</sup>, Smith of the 131<sup>st</sup>, Buckner of the 130<sup>th</sup>, Smith of the 129<sup>th</sup>, and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing Mr. John Flournoy and dedicating an interchange in his honor; and for other  
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Mr. John Flournoy has long been recognized by the citizens of this state for the  
4 vital role that he has played in leadership and his deep personal commitment to the welfare  
5 of the citizens of Georgia; and

6 WHEREAS, a graduate of Columbus High School and the University of North Carolina at  
7 Chapel Hill, Mr. Flournoy is the founder and CEO of Flournoy Development Company,  
8 Flournoy Construction Company, and Flournoy Properties; and

9 WHEREAS, his companies have been involved in residential, industrial, and commercial  
10 construction in the Southeast for 44 years and never failed to complete a contract; and

11 WHEREAS, Mr. Flournoy served as a guardian of this nation's freedom and liberty with the  
12 United States Marine Corps as a fighter pilot during the Vietnam War and has been decorated  
13 with 15 air medals and the Navy Distinguished Flying Cross; and

14 WHEREAS, he has earned the highest civilian award for support of the infantry, the Order  
15 of St. Maurice from the Infantry Commandant, and the Nobel Patron of Armor from the  
16 Armor Commandant for his support of all Armor soldiers; and

17 WHEREAS, Mr. Flournoy has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of  
18 his time, talents, and energy toward the betterment of his community and state as evidenced  
19 dramatically by his superlative service for 44 years with the Boys and Girls Club; and

20 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding contributions of this  
21 remarkable and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ENACTED BY THE GENERAL  
23 ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA that the interchange of Interstate 185/State Route 411 with State  
24 Route 520/State Route 1 in Muscogee County is dedicated as the John Flourney Interchange.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Transportation is authorized and  
26 directed to erect and maintain appropriate signs dedicating the John Flourney Interchange.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
28 and directed to transmit appropriate copies of this resolution to Mr. John Flourney and to the  
29 Department of Transportation.