

Senate Resolution 1194

By: Senators Loudermilk of the 52nd and Albers of the 56th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Ms. Marlitt Hayslett for her work on the SR 68 Commission;
2 and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Ms. Marlitt Hayslett was instrumental in allowing the SR 68 Commission to
4 carry out its mission to explore the need for a science and technology plan in Georgia; and

5 WHEREAS, she and her team at Georgia Tech Research Institute assisted the commission
6 with numerous research tasks, coordinated the commission's meetings across this state, and
7 played a vital role in drafting the final report for the commission; and

8 WHEREAS, she organized seven public hearings in six cities around Georgia, facilitated
9 over ten subcommittee meetings and conference calls with members of the commission, and
10 arranged for over 70 panelists to present to the commission on science and technology topics
11 such as health IT, commercial space, STEM education, agricultural technology, and data
12 centers; and

13 WHEREAS, Ms. Hayslett researched other states' strategic plans for science and technology
14 and conducted analysis and reviews as to how they apply to Georgia and provided the
15 commission with over 200 recommendations on how to build Georgia's future in science and
16 technology policy; and

17 WHEREAS, she received bachelor's and master's degrees in international affairs as well as
18 a master's degree in public policy from the Georgia Institute of Technology; and

19 WHEREAS, under her leadership, the Office of Policy Analysis and Research team is
20 developing a model that will forecast how emerging technologies may impact public policies;
21 and

22 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the extraordinary accomplishments of
23 this distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

24 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
25 commend Ms. Marlitt Hayslett for her many contributions on the SR 68 Commission.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
27 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Ms. Marlitt Hayslett.