## Senate Resolution 1200 By: Senators Ramsey, Sr. of the 43rd and Jeffares of the 17th

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending the congregation of Trinity Baptist Church of Conyers,

2 Georgia; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, recognizing that poverty is a problem that stems from many sources and

4 requires a multifaceted response, the congregation of Trinity Baptist Church of Conyers,

5 Georgia, has become a Host Congregation for Family Promise of NewRock, also referred to

6 as the NewRock Interfaith Hospitality Network; and

7 WHEREAS, under the divine hands and guiding leadership of Reverend Joe LaGuardia,

8 Trinity Baptist Church has committed to providing lodging, meals, and caring hospitality for

9 homeless children and their families in the community; and

WHEREAS, Trinity Baptist Church provides trained volunteers to serve its guests in everyarea of need; and

12 WHEREAS, as a Host Congregation, Trinity Baptist Church provides a primary coordinator

13 to recruit volunteers, attend scheduled meetings, and act as an intermediary between the

14 congregation and the NewRock Interfaith Hospitality Network; and

15 WHEREAS, Trinity Baptist Church has made a one-year, written and publicized 16 commitment to promote the Family Promise Program within the congregation, support 17 fundraising events for the program, and consider budgeting annual contributions to support 18 the mission of Family Promise of NewRock; and

WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the altruistic service of this fine churchand its numerous contributions to the citizens of this state be appropriately recognized.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
commend Trinity Baptist Church for supporting Family Promise of NewRock as a Host

- 23 Congregation and recognize the amazing impact the selfless service this church will have
- 24 upon countless Georgians in need.
- 25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 26 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Trinity Baptist Church's Reverend Joe
- 27 LaGuardia.