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House Resolution 1964

By: Representatives Frazier of the 123rd, Howard of the 121st, Smith of the 122nd, Murphy of the 120th, Bruce of the 64th, and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Ms. Cora Lee Johnson; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Ms. Cora Lee Johnson has long been recognized by the citizens of this state for
- 3 the vital role that she has played in leadership and her deep personal commitment to the
- 4 welfare of the citizens of Georgia; and
- 5 WHEREAS, she has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of her time,
- 6 talents, and energy toward the betterment of her community and state; and
- 7 WHEREAS, she is the founder of Truetlen County Sewing Center, Miss Cora's Dolls of
- 8 Color, and the "Let's Talk" program drug prevention, life guidance, and listening for youths;
- 9 and
- 10 WHEREAS, Ms. Johnson is a member of numerous organizations, including the Southern
- 11 Regional Council and the Georgia Citizens' Coalition Against Hunger, and is on the board
- 12 of the Southern Partners Fund, the Georgia Clients' Council, and Georgia Community
- 13 Development; and
- 14 WHEREAS, a woman of deep and abiding faith, Ms. Johnson is a member of Church of God
- in Christ, Inc., where she is an ordained and licensed evangelist; and
- 16 WHEREAS, she is a community leader and activist, healer, and freedom fighter in defense
- 17 of the poor; and
- 18 WHEREAS, she has received numerous honors, including the Jefferson Award Medal for
- 19 outstanding service, Mother of the Year Award, Valuable Service Award, Distinguished
- 20 Community Service Award, Heroes for Hard Times Award, and Spokesperson for the Poor
- 21 Medal; and

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WHEREAS, she is blessed with two remarkable children, 13 wonderful grandchildren, and

- 23 four adored great-grandchildren; and
- 24 WHEREAS, she is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for
- 25 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and
- 26 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
- 27 remarkable and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.
- 28 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 29 the members of this body commend Ms. Cora Lee Johnson on a lifetime of efficient,
- 30 effective, unselfish, and dedicated public service to the State of Georgia and extend to her
- 31 their best wishes for continued health and happiness.
- 32 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Ms. Cora Lee Johnson.