

House Resolution 2006

By: Representatives Rogers of the 26th, Collins of the 27th, Dunahoo of the 25th, and Benton of the 31st

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending the Gainesville High School Academic Bowl team on their
2 2012 Academic Bowl State Championship; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Gainesville High School Academic Bowl team competed against 125 teams
4 within this state and claimed the title as the 2012 Academic Bowl State Champions at the
5 State RESA Academic Bowl Tournament; and

6 WHEREAS, the tournament is sponsored by Georgia's Regional Educational Service
7 Agencies (RESA) and was held at Flowery Branch High School; and

8 WHEREAS, the team is undefeated with a 21-0 record and was the Region champions and
9 the North Georgia champions; and

10 WHEREAS, the Gainesville High School Academic Bowl team has personified the selfless
11 dedication, mental agility, verbal adroitness, and personal maturity necessary for superlative
12 academic performance; and

13 WHEREAS, the phenomenal performance of the team is a clear indication of the unity of
14 purpose and spirit of each member of the team, including William Morrison, Alex Longoria,
15 Jorge Gonzalez, John Lee Givogre, Katie Schmid, Chris Kelley, Martha McKinnon, Brenda
16 Dang, John Stenzel, and Anh Nguyen; seniors Cody Stephens, Isaac Hopkins, Charlie
17 Bryant, Eli Nwefo, and Patrick Kelley; and the astute direction of coaches Pam Michelson,
18 Sally Jackson, and Ellie Viviant; and

19 WHEREAS, as this magnificent team earned its well-deserved reputation for excellence by
20 performing with courage and precision over months of training and competition, it is
21 abundantly proper to call them champions.

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
23 the members of this body commend the spectacular scholastic endeavors of the Gainesville
24 High School Academic Bowl team, recognize their hard work and dedication, and
25 congratulate them on winning the title for the 2012 Academic Bowl State Championship.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
27 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Gainesville High School
28 Academic Bowl team.