

House Resolution 2026

By: Representatives Gardner of the 57th, Ashe of the 56th, Thomas of the 100th, Drenner of the 86th, Benfield of the 85th, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending the Georgia Conservation Voters and Mayor Kasim Reed; and
2 for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Georgia Conservation Voters is transforming the political landscape by
4 electing leaders with conservation values and holding them accountable to implementing
5 policies that ensure clean water and air, abundant wildlife, scenic landscapes, and economic
6 opportunities for all Georgians; and

7 WHEREAS, the Georgia Conservation Voters work to turn the conservation values of
8 Georgia's citizens into state priorities; and

9 WHEREAS, the Georgia Conservation Voters created the annual "Green Tie Reception" to
10 honor a leader in Georgia for his or her extraordinary commitment to environmental
11 sustainability; and

12 WHEREAS, the first "Green Tie Reception" honoree was the Mayor of the City of Atlanta,
13 Kasim Reed; and

14 WHEREAS, Mayor Reed has dedicated himself and his administration to reducing water
15 consumption, to transit transformation, infrastructure investment, recycling, improving
16 energy efficiency, and expanding green space; and

17 WHEREAS, Mayor Reed believes sustainability will unlock Atlanta's future potential by
18 retaining and attracting a future "knowledge economy" composed of young people who share
19 his core belief in sound environmental practices; and

20 WHEREAS, Mayor Reed proudly announced that the City of Atlanta will be in the top ten
21 list of sustainable cities in the nation; and

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

24 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
25 the members of this body commend the Georgia Conservation Voters and Mayor Kasim
26 Reed for their commitment to building a green and more sustainable Georgia.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
28 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Georgia Conservation
29 Voters and Mayor Kasim Reed.