

House Resolution 2152

By: Representative Waites of the 60th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Reverend Terrie Welch; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, born and raised in Stockbridge, Georgia, Reverend Terrie Welch, whose destiny
3 and steps have been ordered by God, was chosen for salvation and filled with the Holy Spirit
4 early in life; and

5 WHEREAS, she earned a bachelor's degree in business management from Mercer University
6 in 1982 and played professional basketball in Barcelona, Spain, upon graduating college; and

7 WHEREAS, Reverend Welch was called into ministry in 2001 and became licensed in 2004
8 at Floyd Chapel Baptist Church; and

9 WHEREAS, in 2005, she became a part of the ministerial staff under the leadership of
10 Reverend Timothy McDonald III at First Iconium Baptist Church, where she serves as a
11 spiritual advisor for the senior ministry; and

12 WHEREAS, Reverend Welch is blessed with two wonderful sons, Billy and Terrance, and
13 an adorable grandson, Quintez; and

14 WHEREAS, the unmatched spiritual assistance offered by Reverend Welch is a source of
15 strength, inspiration, and direction for persons in all walks of life and from all economic
16 strata; and

17 WHEREAS, she is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for
18 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness, and by the example she has made of her life,
19 she makes this world a better place in which to live; and

20 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding contributions of this
21 distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
23 the members of this body commend Reverend Terrie Welch for her exemplary fellowship
24 and leadership in the name of God and extend to her their sincere best wishes for continued
25 health and happiness.

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 Reverend Terrie Welch.