

House Resolution 2116

By: Representatives Reece of the 11th and Maddox of the 172nd

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Captain Ben Bandy; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Captain Ben Bandy of the Trion Fire Department was awarded a plaque for
3 valor by the Georgia State Firefighters Association and Georgia Association of Fire Chiefs
4 at the 40th annual Firefighter's Recognition Day; and
- 5 WHEREAS, the Trion Fire Department was dispatched to a cardiac arrest incident; and
- 6 WHEREAS, upon arrival, Captain Bandy, along with Chief Jimmy Anderson, determined
7 the patient had no pulse, immediately started CPR, and used an AED for additional
8 life-saving support; and
- 9 WHEREAS, shortly thereafter, Emergency Medical Services arrived, were able to find a
10 pulse, and had the patient transported to Redmond Hospital; and
- 11 WHEREAS, due to Captain Bandy's extraordinary efforts, the patient improved quickly with
12 minimal residual effects from the cardiac arrest; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Captain Bandy's training and experience played an instrumental role in the
14 outcome; and
- 15 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the extraordinary accomplishments of
16 this distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.
- 17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
18 the members of this body commend the courageous and selfless dedication of Captain Ben
19 Bandy and recognize him for being awarded a plaque for valor.

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
21 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Captain Ben Bandy.