

House Resolution 146EX

By: Representatives Dudgeon of the 24th, Brockway of the 101st, Smith of the 129th, Walker of the 107th, and Riley of the 50th

A RESOLUTION

1 Celebrating twenty years of the Manufacturing Research Center at the Georgia Institute of
2 Technology and the involvement of the Callaway Family; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, in the academic year of 1991 the Manufacturing Research Facility was named
4 for the leadership in Georgia of the Callaway Family; and

5 WHEREAS, the Callaway family has changed the face of Georgia by building and operating
6 textile mills, developing and maintaining gardens, and supporting cultural, humanitarian,
7 and religious projects; and

8 WHEREAS, Callaway family members founded what became Callaway Mills in 1900 and
9 operated them until 1968. They established Callaway Gardens in 1952 and remain active in
10 its management; and

11 WHEREAS, the Callaway Family in partnership with Georgia Tech dedicated resources to
12 further the manufacturing industry in the State of Georgia; and

13 WHEREAS, the leadership of Georgia Tech President John Patrick Crecine provided an
14 example of how dedicating resources and engaging industry can impact manufacturing in the
15 State of Georgia; and

16 WHEREAS, Georgia Tech's focus is on manufacturing research and educational experience
17 of its matriculating students; and

18 WHEREAS, Georgia Tech is now recognized as a leader in manufacturing research; and

19 WHEREAS, the Callaway Family has contributed to the manufacturing environment in the
20 State of Georgia; and

21 WHEREAS, students, faculty, staff, and alumni from many disciplines contribute to the
22 success of Georgia Tech, the City of Atlanta, and the State of Georgia; and

23 WHEREAS, Georgia Tech in partnership with industry and government will further the
24 manufacturing impact in the State of Georgia; and

25 WHEREAS, this twentieth anniversary of the Manufacturing Research Center and the
26 partnership with the Callaway Family at Georgia Tech is an opportunity to recognize the
27 enduring impact of its contributions to manufacturing in the public interest of Georgia and
28 the United States, and it is fitting and proper to recognize this technological and economic
29 achievement.

30 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
31 the members of this body commend the Georgia Institute of Technology and the
32 Manufacturing Research Center in partnership with the Callaway Family as dedicated to
33 innovation in manufacturing management, design, quality and efficiency, to the continued
34 economic growth and development of the State of Georgia and the Southeastern United
35 States, and to improved national competitiveness.

36 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
37 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Georgia Tech President
38 G. P. "Bud" Peterson and the Callaway Family.