

Senate Resolution 66

By: Senators Staton of the 18th, Loudermilk of the 14th, Sims of the 12th, Jones of the 25th and Tolleson of the 20th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the Georgia Peach Festival and the 2012 Georgia Peach Queens; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the peach has long been a nationally recognized symbol for the State of
4 Georgia; and

5 WHEREAS, the Georgia peach industry has played a significant role in the economic growth
6 and prosperity of our state, and Georgia ranks second in the nation in the annual production
7 of peaches; and

8 WHEREAS, the Georgia Peach Festival originated in Peach County, Georgia, in 1987,
9 thanks to the inspiration of Mr. Harold Peavy, who conceived the festival for the purpose of
10 promoting Peach County, Georgia, and the peach industry; and

11 WHEREAS, this annual festival celebrates Peach County's status as one of the largest
12 producers of peaches in the state; and

13 WHEREAS, in connection with this celebration, five very fine young ladies were crowned
14 as 2012 Peach Queens, including Tiny Miss Georgia Peach, Brynn Owens; Little Miss
15 Georgia Peach, Lauren Roberts; Junior Miss Georgia Peach, Kaitlyn Bustamante; Teen Miss
16 Georgia Peach, Cassidy Starling; and Miss Georgia Peach, Anna Treadway; and

17 WHEREAS, it is only fitting and proper that this festival and its representatives be
18 recognized by this body.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
20 commend the Georgia Peach Festival for promoting the importance of this agricultural
21 product of Georgia and congratulate the 2012 Georgia Peach Queens.

22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
23 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Board of Directors of the Georgia
24 Peach Festival.