

Senate Resolution 115

By: Senator Tolleson of the 20th

#### A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating Major General Robert McMahon on being named *The Telegraph's* Middle  
2 Georgian of the Year; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Major General Robert McMahon has long been recognized by the citizens of  
4 this state for the vitally important role he has played as the commander of the Warner Robins  
5 Air Logistics Center and his deep personal commitment to the welfare of the citizens of  
6 Georgia; and

7 WHEREAS, he has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of his time,  
8 talents, and energy toward the betterment of his community and state as evidenced  
9 dramatically by his superlative service with the Air Force; and

10 WHEREAS, Major General McMahon served with honor and distinction in Kuwait as  
11 director of Central Command's Deployment and Distribution Operations Center, where he  
12 coordinated the flow of personnel and supplies into and out of Iraq and Afghanistan; and

13 WHEREAS, his experience overseas gave him a tremendous sense of how important his  
14 mission at Robins Air Force Base would be; and

15 WHEREAS, Major General McMahon's significant organizational and leadership talents, his  
16 high expectations for Robins Air Force Base and his staff, his clear sense of vision, and his  
17 sensitivity to the needs of the citizens of this state have earned him the respect and  
18 admiration of his colleagues and associates; and

19 WHEREAS, the week after his retirement, he accepted a job as leader of the 21st Century  
20 Partnership, a community organization that works to support the base and defend it in the  
21 event of a Base Realignment and Closure Commission; and

22 WHEREAS, in response to his remarkable tenure at Robins Air Force Base as well as his  
23 work with the Air Force and 21st Century Partnership, Major General McMahon was been  
24 named the first Middle Georgian of the Year; and

25 WHEREAS, his vision and unyielding commitment to the welfare of all Americans have set  
26 the standard for public service; and

27 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this  
28 remarkable and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

29 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
30 congratulate Major General Robert McMahon on being named *The Telegraph's* Middle  
31 Georgian of the Year and extend to him their most sincere wishes for continued success,  
32 health, and happiness.

33 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
34 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Major General Robert McMahon.