

House Resolution 116

By: Representatives Carter of the 175th, Black of the 174th, Shaw of the 176th, and Sharper of the 177th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Mr. Ashley Henderson, Valwood School's Head Football Coach, as the 2012
2 Coach of the Year; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Mr. Ashley Henderson exemplifies the selfless dedication which is
4 characteristic of our finest coaches, dedicating his time, talents, and energy to challenging
5 and inspiring the future athletes of this state; and

6 WHEREAS, Mr. Henderson has earned distinction for coaching excellence as a result of his
7 dedication to the students of Valwood School, where he has been honored as the 2012 Coach
8 of the Year after winning the 2012 GISA AA state title in just his first year as head football
9 coach; and

10 WHEREAS, he played offensive line for Georgia Tech and Valdosta State University, acting
11 as a student assistant coach during his time at Valdosta State University, and graduating in
12 2002; and

13 WHEREAS, after graduating, Mr. Henderson began coaching at Valdosta State University,
14 acting as the running backs coach during the national championship season of 2004; and

15 WHEREAS, he then worked as an assistant coach at Valdosta High School from 2005 to
16 2011, until he was hired by Valwood Headmaster Dr. Darren Pascavage as Valwood's head
17 football coach in 2012; and

18 WHEREAS, Mr. Ashley Henderson, a beloved son of Douglas and Beverly Henderson, is
19 united in love and marriage to Megan Pulido Henderson, a loving daughter of Quitin and
20 Peggi Pulido; and

21 WHEREAS, the dedication of Mr. Ashley Henderson to his students is worthy of
22 recognition.

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
24 the members of this body commend Mr. Ashley Henderson, Valwood School's Head Football
25 Coach, as the 2012 Coach of the Year and express to him their most sincere best wishes for
26 continued success in the future.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
28 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mr. Ashley Henderson.