

House Resolution 244

By: Representatives Scott of the 76th, Douglas of the 78th, Jordan of the 77th, Stovall of the 74th, Waites of the 60th, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Miriam Cheney, Anderson Elementary School's Teacher of
2 the Year; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, a proper quality education for the young people of this state is the single most
4 important objective of the General Assembly; and

5 WHEREAS, nothing is more vital to the future of our state than the education of our young
6 people, and Miriam Cheney exemplifies the selfless dedication which is characteristic of our
7 finest educators; and

8 WHEREAS, Miriam Cheney, a second grade teacher at Anderson Elementary School, is a
9 highly respected educator, dedicating her time, talents, and energy to challenging and
10 inspiring the future leaders of this state; and

11 WHEREAS, after graduating from Albany State University and moving to California, she
12 returned to Georgia to seek a job in education and was employed by the Clayton County
13 School System; and

14 WHEREAS, during her tenure of 28 years, she has taught the second, third, fourth, sixth
15 grades; and

16 WHEREAS, she has served on the Student Recognition Committee for six years at Anderson
17 Elementary School and has volunteered as a tutor to assist struggling students to succeed
18 academically and socially; and

19 WHEREAS, she works tirelessly to see her students succeed, and has the respect and
20 admiration of colleagues and parents who view her as a shining example for the children of
21 Anderson Elementary School; and

22 WHEREAS, she loves spending time with and cooking for her two beloved children and one
23 beautiful granddaughter, and is eagerly awaiting identical twin granddaughters in the spring;
24 and

25 WHEREAS, the devotion to providing the students of Georgia with a quality education
26 demonstrated by Miriam Cheney is worthy of recognition.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
28 the members of this body commend Miriam Cheney for her outstanding commitment to
29 education and on her selection as Anderson Elementary School's Teacher of the Year.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
31 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Miriam Cheney.