

House Resolution 512

By: Representative Channell of the 120th

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring the life of Mr. Felton L. Hudson and dedicating a bridge in his memory; and for
2 other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Mr. Felton L. Hudson was born on July 19, 1932, and during his lifetime he
4 played a vital role in leadership and demonstrated a deep commitment to the education of
5 Georgia's future leaders; and

6 WHEREAS, a native of Greensboro, Georgia, Mr. Hudson earned a bachelor's degree from
7 Morehouse College and a master's degree from the University of Georgia; and

8 WHEREAS, he dedicated over 37 years to challenging students in the Greene County Public
9 School System as an educator and served as president of his local chapter of the Georgia
10 Association of Educators; and

11 WHEREAS, a man of deep and abiding faith, Mr. Hudson was a lifelong member of New
12 Springfield Baptist Church, where he served as chairman of the board of deacons and taught
13 adult Sunday school class for over three decades, and served as a lay leader in the Second
14 Shiloh Baptist Association; and

15 WHEREAS, Mr. Hudson served as president of the Greene County Branch of the NAACP,
16 was a 33rd degree Mason with the Prince Hall Lodge where he served as Worshipful Master,
17 and was a member of the Rotary Club of Greene County; and

18 WHEREAS, he organized Citizens United for Children, a nonprofit organization devoted to
19 assisting underprivileged children and exposing them to cultural activities; and

20 WHEREAS, his leadership was invaluable to numerous Greene County organizations,
21 including the Greene County Civic Association, the Greene County Board of Education, and
22 the Greene County Recreation Department; and

23 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the extraordinary accomplishments of
24 this distinguished Georgian be recognized by naming a road in his honor.

25 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ENACTED BY THE GENERAL
26 ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA that the bridge on Veazey Road over Interstate 20 in Greene
27 County is dedicated as the Felton L. Hudson Memorial Bridge.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Transportation is authorized and
29 directed to erect and maintain appropriate signs dedicating the Felton L. Hudson Memorial
30 Bridge.

31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
32 and directed to transmit appropriate copies of this resolution to the family of Mr. Felton L.
33 Hudson and to the Department of Transportation.