

Senate Resolution 436

By: Senator Shafer of the 48th

A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating Mr. Leo Wells, Jr., and Mrs. Mary Nell Wells on the occasion of their 70th
2 wedding anniversary on April 20, 2013; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, both Leo Wells, Jr., and Mary Nell Wells grew up in Valdosta, Georgia, and
4 were united in love and marriage on April 20, 1943; and

5 WHEREAS, the couple has lived in Valdosta for over 90 years, where for about 40 years
6 they owned the first Dairy Queen in Georgia; and

7 WHEREAS, Mr. Wells served as a Major in the Army Air Corps during World War II,
8 where he was stationed in North Africa; and

9 WHEREAS, he later worked as an air traffic controller at Moody Air Force Base until his
10 retirement; and

11 WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Wells are a truly inspirational couple in sickness and in health,
12 in joy and sorrow, in plenty and in want, and it is abundantly fitting and proper that these
13 exceptional Georgians be properly recognized.

14 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
15 congratulate Mr. Leo Wells, Jr., and Mrs. Mary Nell Wells on the grand occasion of their
16 70th wedding anniversary and extend sincere best wishes for many more happy years
17 together.

18 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
19 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mr. Leo Wells, Jr., and Mrs. Mary Nell
20 Wells.