

House Resolution 779

By: Representatives Stover of the 71st, Smith of the 70th, and Epps of the 132nd

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Dr. Bob Heaberlin, the Association of Middle Level Education's 2012-2013
2 National Distinguished Educator of 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, Dr. Bob Heaberlin, the principal of Lee Middle School, has shown by the
6 example of his leadership that the pursuit and attainment of scholastic success are within the
7 reach of the students in this state; and

8 WHEREAS, Dr. Heaberlin, who has worked as a teacher and administrator for 41 years,
9 seven of which at Lee Middle School, is honored and humbled to be named the Association
10 of Middle Level Education's 2012-2013 National Distinguished Educator of the Year; and

11 WHEREAS, this is the highest honor a middle level educator can receive in our country, and
12 it is only the second time that a Georgia educator has received the honor; and

13 WHEREAS, in recognition of his contributions to the education and welfare of young people
14 in this state, it is abundantly fitting and proper to honor the outstanding accomplishments of
15 this remarkable individual.

16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
17 the members of this body commend Dr. Bob Heaberlin for being named the Association of
18 Middle Level Education's 2012-2013 National Distinguished Educator of the Year and
19 express their most sincere best wishes for his continued success in the future.

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
21 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Dr. Bob Heaberlin.