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House Resolution 815

By: Representatives Rogers of the 29<sup>th</sup>, Dunahoo of the 30<sup>th</sup>, Hawkins of the 27<sup>th</sup>, and Barr of the 103<sup>rd</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Congratulating Mr. Rhett Roark as the recipient of the Kiwanis Club's John Jacobs, Jr.,
- 2 Youth Service Award; and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, Mr. Rhett Roark has spent more than 8,000 hours over 16 years as a volunteer
- 4 coach for youth baseball players, instilling in young players a passion for the sport while
- 5 teaching important life lessons; and
- 6 WHEREAS, he taught his players to respect the game and led by example, remaining on the
- 7 field and ready to coach for as long as the last player wanted to stay; and
- 8 WHEREAS, the John Jacobs, Jr., Youth Service Award honors an individual who
- 9 exemplifies the belief that children are our future and that there is no greater community
- 10 service than service to the youth; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Mr. Roark received the award with humility during the Kiwanis Club of
- 12 Gainesville's annual dinner and meeting at the Chattahoochee Country Club; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Mr. Rhett Roark has demonstrated care, compassion, and diligence in his work
- with the youth of the State of Georgia, and it is abundantly fitting and proper that this
- 15 exemplary coach and mentor be recognized.
- 16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 17 the members of this body congratulate Mr. Rhett Roark as the deserved recipient of the
- 18 Kiwanis Club's John Jacobs, Jr., Youth Service Award and extend their sincere best wishes
- 19 for his continued health and happiness.
- 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 Mr. Rhett Roark.