

Senate Resolution 873

By: Senators Harbison of the 15th and McKoon of the 29th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Frank Thomas on being elected to the National Baseball Hall
2 of Fame; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Frank Thomas is a native of Columbus, Georgia, and because of his remarkable
4 career in professional baseball as one of the game's most prolific hitters, has been elected to
5 the National Baseball Hall of Fame in his first year of eligibility; and

6 WHEREAS, Frank Thomas is the only player in history to compile a major league record of
7 seven consecutive seasons with a .300 batting average, 20 home runs, at least 100 runs batted
8 in, and 100 walks; and

9 WHEREAS, he is the first Columbus native chosen for any of the professional sports halls
10 of fame; and

11 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
12 remarkable and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

13 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
14 recognize and commend Frank Thomas on being elected to the National Baseball Hall of
15 Fame.

16 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
17 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Frank Thomas.