By: Senators Albers of the 56th, Crane of the 28th, Hufstetler of the 52nd, Hill of the 6th, Millar of the 40th and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Capitol Commission, Pastor Ron J. Bigalke, and Jim

2 Young; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Capitol Commission is a charitable and religious nonprofit entity whose mission

4 is reaching the Capitol communities of the United States and the world with the good news

5 of God's grace through faith in Jesus Christ; and

6 WHEREAS, many of the men serving with Capitol Commission have more than a decade
7 of experience ministering to political leaders in the United States; and

8 WHEREAS, the ministry of Capitol Commission presently has a pastoral presence in 9 twenty-two state capitols with full-time ministers who serve as pastors and missionaries to 10 the entire Capitol community, including the General Assembly and its staff and agencies; and

WHEREAS, the Capitol Commission Day at the Georgia Statehouse on Tuesday, February 11, 2014, is organized as an opportunity to learn about reaching Capitol communities for Christ, in addition to the Church meeting and praying with their elected officials; and

15 WHEREAS, the mission of Capitol Commission is to evangelize those who have not yet 16 experienced a personal relationship with Jesus Christ (Romans 1:16); and

17 WHEREAS, the mission of Capitol Commission is to establish those who have a desire to

18 grow in their faith and in their knowledge of the Scriptures (Colossians 2:6-7); and

WHEREAS, the mission of Capitol Commission is to equip those who have been called tospiritual leadership (Ephesians 4:11-12); and

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- 21 WHEREAS, the mission of Capitol Commission is to enable and encourage the Church to
- 22 participate in the process with them (1 Timothy 2:1-4); and
- WHEREAS, the mission of Capitol Commission is to enlist businesses, churches, and
 individuals to become strategic prayer and financial partners (2 Corinthians 8:3-6); and
- WHEREAS, the mission of Capitol Commission is to engage those who desire to participate in the ministry by offering their time and talents (Matthew 25:20); and
- 27 WHEREAS, the mission of Capitol Commission is to entreat God to bless all facets of the
- 28 ministry as each state minister looks to Him for guidance, ways, and wisdom to bring Him
- 29 glory (1 Chronicles 4:10); and
- WHEREAS, the mission of Capitol Commission is to enjoy the opportunity to witness God
 move in supernatural ways (Psalms 37:4-6).
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
 commend the ministry of Capitol Commission, Pastor Ron Bigalke, and Pastor Jim Young
 for their dedicated service to the entire Capitol community and extend to them their sincere
 thanks and best wishes for continued success.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Capitol Commission and Pastor Ron J.
 Bigalke.