

House Resolution 1452

By: Representatives Dickey of the 140th, Bentley of the 139th, Greene of the 151st, and O`Neal of the 146th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the Georgia Peach Festival and the 2013 Georgia Peach Queens and inviting
2 them to be recognized by the House of Representatives; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the peach has long been a nationally recognized symbol for the State of
4 Georgia; and

5 WHEREAS, the Georgia peach industry has played a significant role in the economic growth
6 and prosperity of our state, and Georgia ranks second in the nation in the annual production
7 of peaches; and

8 WHEREAS, the Georgia Peach Festival originated in Peach County, Georgia, in 1987,
9 thanks to the inspiration of Mr. Harold Peavy, who conceived the festival for the purpose of
10 promoting Peach County, Georgia, and the peach industry; and

11 WHEREAS, this annual festival celebrates Peach County's status as one of the largest
12 producers of peaches in the state; and

13 WHEREAS, in connection with this celebration, five very fine young ladies were crowned
14 as 2013 Peach Queens, including Tiny Miss Georgia Peach, Kailey Burress; Little Miss
15 Georgia Peach, Kalin Moultrie; Junior Miss Georgia Peach, Ashley Moore; Teen Miss
16 Georgia Peach, Lizzy Stanford; and Miss Georgia Peach, Blaire Bagwell; and

17 WHEREAS, it is only fitting and proper that this festival and its representatives be
18 recognized by this body.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
20 the members of this body commend the Georgia Peach Festival for promoting the importance
21 of this agricultural product of Georgia, congratulate the 2013 Georgia Peach Queens, and

22 invite them to be recognized by the House of Representatives at a date and time to be
23 determined by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
25 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Board of Directors of
26 the Georgia Peach Festival.