

House Resolution 1618

By: Representative Ralston of the 7th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring the life and memory of Wayne Huffman; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia mourns the loss of one of its most distinguished citizens
3 with the passing of Wayne Huffman on January 15, 2014; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Wayne served 16 years on the Blue Ridge City Council, first as water
5 commissioner and later as the commissioner overseeing city hall and as mayor pro-tem; and
- 6 WHEREAS, he was described by fellow council members and Blue Ridge citizens as a fair
7 man who dedicated himself to his office and the citizenry whom he served; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Wayne was re-elected to the council three times, often receiving the highest
9 number of votes of any candidate; and
- 10 WHEREAS, he served as a guardian of this nation's freedom and liberty, valiantly and
11 courageously protecting his fellow Americans during the Korean War; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Wayne was united in love and marriage to Charlotte "Ann" Beavers Huffman,
13 and was blessed with five remarkable children, Charlotte Huffman Hyatt, Teresa Jones, Brian
14 Huffman, Gary Huffman, and Bert Huffman, eight wonderful grandchildren, and four
15 amazing great-grandchildren; and
- 16 WHEREAS, he gave inspiration to many through his high ideals, morals, and deep concern
17 for his fellow citizens, and the devotion, patience, and understanding he demonstrated to his
18 family and friends were admired by others; and

19 WHEREAS, a compassionate and generous man, Wayne will long be remembered for his
20 love of family, friendship, and community, and this loyal family man and friend will be
21 missed by all who had the great fortune of knowing him.

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
23 the members of this body join in honoring the life and memory of Wayne Huffman and
24 express their deepest and most sincere regret at his passing.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
26 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of Wayne
27 Huffman.