

House Resolution 1650

By: Representatives Bruce of the 61st, Mabra of the 63rd, and Brooks of the 55th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending Free Solomon Polazzo; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Free Solomon Polazzo has long been recognized by the citizens of this state for
3 the vital role that he has played in leadership and his deep personal commitment to the
4 welfare of the citizens of Georgia; and
- 5 WHEREAS, he has been active in the Douglas County Democratic Party since 2004 as a post
6 seat holder and has served also as treasurer, second vice chair, and secretary; and
- 7 WHEREAS, he is currently representing Douglas County Democrats as a State Committee
8 member, and since joining the committee in 2010, he has worked to change the party bylaws
9 to allow for advocacy groups within the party structure; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Free has since joined the Steering Committee of Greening Georgia, the first
11 advocacy group to gain approval from the State Committee; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Free has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of his time,
13 talents, and energy toward the betterment of his community and state; and
- 14 WHEREAS, he is cofounder and board chair of Uplifting People, Inc., a not for profit
15 organization that helps individuals not go back to prison; and
- 16 WHEREAS, Free is united in love and marriage to Janet Hemphill Minshall and is a proud
17 father and grandfather; and
- 18 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
19 remarkable and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
21 the members of this body commend Free Solomon Polazzo for his efficient, effective, and
22 dedicated service to the State of Georgia and express to him their most sincere best wishes
23 for continued success and happiness.

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 Free Solomon Polazzo.