

## House Resolution 1676

By: Representatives Waites of the 60<sup>th</sup>, Glanton of the 75<sup>th</sup>, Scott of the 76<sup>th</sup>, Stovall of the 74<sup>th</sup>, Jordan of the 77<sup>th</sup>, and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Sparkle K. Adams in honor of Women's History Month 2014;  
2 and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, in 1987, Congress declared March to serve as "Women's History Month" to  
4 acknowledge the important role women have played in shaping America; and

5 WHEREAS, Sparkle K. Adams, former mayor pro tem of the City of Forest Park, emulates  
6 what it means be a female public servant in the State of Georgia; and

7 WHEREAS, as mayor pro tem, Sparkle consistently demonstrated her commitment to the  
8 community by heightening her visibility and accessibility to her constituents through her  
9 outstanding written and oral communication skills; and

10 WHEREAS, she also demonstrated her commitment to this country, serving as a Master  
11 Sergeant in the United States Air Force and Air Force Reserves, retiring in 2006; and

12 WHEREAS, during her military career, Master Sergeant Adams served as an air traffic  
13 controller, supervisor of air cargo special handling, family support specialist supervisor, and  
14 military equal opportunity specialist supervisor; and

15 WHEREAS, Sparkle has also worked for the United States Postal Inspection Service, where  
16 she earned several exceptional and outstanding performance awards and recognition for her  
17 accomplishments with the service; and

18 WHEREAS, every year, during the month of March, hundreds of thousands of events are  
19 held throughout the country to acknowledge and recognize the amazing accomplishments of  
20 women, and the popularity of women's history celebration has sparked a new interest in  
21 uncovering women's forgotten heritage; and

22 WHEREAS, Sparkle K. Adams leads by example through her passion and commitment to  
23 her community and the State of Georgia, and it is only fitting and proper that she be  
24 recognized.

25 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
26 the members of this body recognize and commend Sparkle K. Adams in honor of Women's  
27 History Month 2014 for her extraordinary dedication to protecting and improving the quality  
28 of life of her fellow citizens and express to her their most sincere best wishes for continued  
29 success and happiness.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
31 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Sparkle K. Adams.