

House Resolution 1727

By: Representatives Dawkins-Haigler of the 91st, Mosby of the 83rd, Stephenson of the 90th, Brooks of the 55th, and Smyre of the 135th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Dr. William H. Boone and inviting him to be recognized by the House of
2 Representatives; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Dr. William H. Boone is an Associate Professor of Political Science at Clark
4 Atlanta University; and

5 WHEREAS, Dr. Boone has served as an Associate Provost, Dean of Graduate Studies, and
6 chairman of the Department of Political Science at Clark Atlanta University; and

7 WHEREAS, he is a graduate of Morgan State University and received his doctorate degree
8 in political science from Atlanta University; and

9 WHEREAS, from 1986-1989, Dr. Boone was a producer of the television series *Black*
10 *Perspectives*, and from 1996-2011, he served as a producer, writer, and host of *Politically*
11 *Speaking*; and

12 WHEREAS, he has authored and co-authored several publications in the areas of black and
13 southern politics, and his most recent publication is *Grits and Gravy: Election of Barack*
14 *Obama and Post Racial America*; and

15 WHEREAS, Dr. Boone is a sought-after political commentator and has appeared on
16 numerous television stations and print media publications; and

17 WHEREAS, he is a well-known leader and has been a mentor and teacher to countless
18 students throughout his tenure at Clark Atlanta University; and

19 WHEREAS, he is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for
20 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

21 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
22 remarkable and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
24 the members of this body commend Dr. William H. Boone for his dedication and
25 commitment to serving the citizens of the State of Georgia and invite him to be recognized
26 by the House of Representatives at a date and time to be determined by the Speaker of the
27 House of Representatives.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
29 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Dr. William H. Boone.