

## House Resolution 1845

By: Representative Drenner of the 85<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Kathleen Andres in honor of Women's History Month 2014;  
2 and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, raised in Skaneateles, New York, Kathleen Andres currently resides in  
4 Scottsdale Mill Village, an area east of unincorporated DeKalb County; and

5 WHEREAS, she attended Ashland College, where she received her bachelor's degree in  
6 business administration, and later attended the Tobe-Coburn School for Fashion Careers as  
7 a Macy's scholarship recipient; and

8 WHEREAS, Ms. Andres's great-grandfather, Michael C. Lemp, invented the hand dryer and  
9 the concept of drying with hot air; and

10 WHEREAS, taking after her great-grandfather's entrepreneurial spirit, she invented a shoe  
11 polishing device and is currently working on an additional invention; Ms. Andres was named  
12 the International Inventor from 1990-1994; and

13 WHEREAS, Ms. Andres's first company, Andres & Company, helped to launch Laura  
14 Ashley's accessory division with the introduction of canvas espadrilles; and

15 WHEREAS, her current company, Andres Home Management, was founded in 1999 and  
16 manages the private residences of top Atlanta executives and provides cleaning services to  
17 major corporate clients; and

18 WHEREAS, despite her busy schedule, Ms. Andres still makes time to contribute to the  
19 betterment of her community and improve the quality of life for its residents; and

20 WHEREAS, Women's History Month, March, 2014, is set aside to celebrate and honor those  
21 women who have contributed their time and talents to the betterment of this state and nation,

22 and it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this  
23 remarkable Georgian be recognized.

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

29 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
30 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Kathleen Andres.