

House Resolution 1938

By: Representative Epps of the 132nd

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending White Oak Grove Baptist Church; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, the seeds which were sown by the loving and humble efforts of the devoted
3 original worshipers of White Oak Grove Baptist Church have blossomed, establishing a rich
4 tradition and history; and

5 WHEREAS, organized in 1905 under the leadership of Reverend W.S. Simmons, White Oak
6 Grove Baptist Church has grown under the divine direction of numerous pastors over the
7 years, allowing the Word of God to spread throughout the community; and

8 WHEREAS, a church was built in Haralson, Georgia, under the leadership of Reverend E.
9 D. Campbell and rebuilt in 1965 under the leadership of Pastor F. L. Taylor in Senoia,
10 Georgia; and

11 WHEREAS, the congregation of this church has compiled an unparalleled record of
12 constructive, compassionate, and humanitarian service which it demonstrates daily through
13 open minds, open hearts, and open doors; and

14 WHEREAS, members of White Oak Grove Baptist Church have a sincere desire to serve the
15 Lord and are wholeheartedly committed to spreading the gospel of Jesus Christ; and

16 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that this enduring example of God's message
17 of peace and love be recognized and congratulated for its innumerable good works rendered
18 on behalf of persons in need.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
20 the members of this body recognize the rich history of White Oak Grove Baptist Church,
21 commend its 109 years of dedicated service to the Lord and community, and extend their
22 warmest best wishes for its continued growth and success.

23 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
24 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to White Oak Grove Baptist
25 Church's Reverend Dr. K. G. Bailey.