

House Resolution 1986

By: Representatives Waites of the 60<sup>th</sup> and Scott of the 76<sup>th</sup>

#### A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Atlanta Metropolitan State College; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Atlanta Metropolitan State College, a unit of the University System of Georgia,  
3 focuses on excellence, where outstanding faculty members and committed staff teach and  
4 facilitate the successful academic matriculation and holistic development of students; and
- 5 WHEREAS, the college offers an affordable liberal arts education and prepares students  
6 from a diverse urban community to function in a global society; and
- 7 WHEREAS, Atlanta Metropolitan State College (AMSC) has four academic divisions:  
8 Business and Computer Science, Humanities and Fine Arts, Science, Math, and Health  
9 Professions, and Social Sciences, each of which is headed by a dean; and
- 10 WHEREAS, the college boasts a five-year roadmap, the Atlanta Metropolitan State College  
11 Strategic Plan, which outlines how it plans to continually improve its programs, services, and  
12 most importantly, maximize student learning; and
- 13 WHEREAS, the first strategic goal of AMSC is to focus on adapting its programs and  
14 services to the retention, progression, and graduation paradigm shift requirements at the state  
15 and national levels; and
- 16 WHEREAS, the second strategic goal of AMSC is to meet, and preferably exceed, the  
17 expectations that the public, USG, and SACS have set for its programs and services; and
- 18 WHEREAS, the third strategic goal of AMSC is to establish an effective brand consistent  
19 with the institution's mission and function; and
- 20 WHEREAS, the fourth strategic goal of AMSC is to develop and implement a plan that  
21 moves the college toward long-term fiscal stability; and

22 WHEREAS, the Office of Institutional Advancement/Development is responsible for  
23 coordinating all fundraising efforts to benefit Atlanta Metropolitan State College, including  
24 the Annual Giving Program, Scholarship Establishment, Gifts, and Donations, Major Gifts,  
25 and Planned Giving; and

26 WHEREAS, each of these elements contribute to AMSC's achievement of its strategic goals;  
27 and

28 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this  
29 remarkable institution be appropriately recognized.

30 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
31 the members of this body recognize and commend Atlanta Metropolitan State College for  
32 its dedication and commitment to Georgia education.

33 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
34 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Atlanta Metropolitan State  
35 College.