

House Resolution 2061

By: Representatives Williams of the 168th, Chapman of the 167th, and Atwood of the 179th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Cornell L. Harvey; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Cornell Harvey is the newly elected first African American mayor of
3 Brunswick, Georgia; and
- 4 WHEREAS, he was the commissioner of the North Ward for ten years and served as the
5 mayor pro tem; he recently retired after 13 years as the director of Human Resources for
6 Jekyll Island Authority; and
- 7 WHEREAS, Mayor Harvey attended public school in the Glynn County Public School
8 System, graduating from Glynn Academy High School in 1971; and
- 9 WHEREAS, he enlisted in the United States Air Force and served his country faithfully for
10 29 years, retiring in October, 2000, having achieved the highest enlisted rank of Chief Master
11 Sergeant; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Mayor Harvey holds a Bachelor of Science in Information Systems Technology
13 from the University of Maryland and a Master of Public Administration from Troy State
14 University; and
- 15 WHEREAS, having held a number of positions in private and fraternal organizations, Mayor
16 Harvey is a 33rd Degree Mason, fraternal brother of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc., a
17 director of the Torch Bearers for the Fourteen Blackmen of Glynn County, Inc., and member
18 of the executive committee of the Okefenokee Area Council Boy Scouts of America; and
- 19 WHEREAS, a man of deep and abiding faith, he is an active member of Greater Works
20 Ministries Church; and

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

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
24 the members of this body recognize and commend Cornell L. Harvey for his dedication and
25 commitment to his community and the State of Georgia and express to him their most sincere
26 best wishes for continued success.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
28 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Cornell L. Harvey.