

## House Resolution 28

By: Representative Smith of the 134<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the Pioneer Little League 11/12 Girls All-Star softball team and inviting the  
2 team to be recognized by the House of Representatives; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Little League Baseball, Inc., was founded by Carl Stotz in 1939 as a three-team  
4 league in Williamsport, Pennsylvania; and

5 WHEREAS, now organized and operated by community volunteers, chartered Little League  
6 Baseball and Softball programs are available to children ages four to 18 all over the United  
7 States; and

8 WHEREAS, there are seven Little League Divisions in Columbus, Georgia, one of which is  
9 Pioneer Little League, an All-Star team for 11 and 12 year old girls that celebrated a  
10 remarkable 2014 season of competitive softball; and

11 WHEREAS, the Pioneer Little League 11 and 12 year old All-Stars won the District 8  
12 Championship, the Georgia State Championship, and the Southeastern Regional Tournament,  
13 battling from behind to win both the state and regional championships; and

14 WHEREAS, this team represented the entire southeast United States in the World Series in  
15 Portland, Oregon, where it claimed an impressive third place out of 1,400 teams, finishing  
16 the tournament season with a 19-3 record; and

17 WHEREAS, Coaches Bo Weaver and Micky Mallory and Manager Chuck Landrum have  
18 demonstrated leadership and guidance in working with these girls; and

19 WHEREAS, this exceptional team includes Aiyana "Bean" Taylor, Raelee Weaver, Kamdyn  
20 Fuller, Jada Chadwick, Samantha Cotton, Lindsey Sanders, Kennedy Bedell, Mary Head,  
21 Jillian Holloway, Nyiah Kelley, Savannah Landrum, and Cydnee Harrison.

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
23 the members of this body commend the Pioneer Little League 11/12 Girls All-Star softball  
24 team for its hard work and dedication and invite the team to be recognized by the House of  
25 Representatives at a date and time to be determined by the Speaker of the House of  
26 Representatives.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
28 and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the  
29 Pioneer Little League 11/12 Girls All-Star softball team.