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House Resolution 140

By: Representatives Wilkinson of the 52<sup>nd</sup>, Geisinger of the 48<sup>th</sup>, Beskin of the 54<sup>th</sup>, Willard of the 51<sup>st</sup>, Atwood of the 179<sup>th</sup>, and others

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending Mrs. Mary Lou Austin; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Mary Lou Austin was honored with the 2014 Marvin Myers Leadership Award,
- 3 which is awarded each year to a member of the community who has gone above and beyond
- 4 in his or her support of United States veterans and military; and
- 5 WHEREAS, she was honored on November 8, 2014, at the 33rd annual Veterans Day Parade
- 6 of Atlanta and Freedom Ball; and
- 7 WHEREAS, Mrs. Austin has held various leadership and professional positions with the
- 8 United Services Organization for 45 years; and
- 9 WHEREAS, she has worked diligently with the United Services Organization of Georgia to
- 10 welcome home those who have served; and
- 11 WHEREAS, under her leadership, the United Services Organization has expanded its
- services and reach in Georgia, now overseeing more than 900 volunteers; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Mary Lou Austin has worked tirelessly to serve our United States heroes,
- 14 making it fitting and proper for her to be honored.
- 15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 16 the members of this body commend Mrs. Mary Lou Austin.
- 17 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to Mrs.
- 19 Mary Lou Austin.