

House Resolution 429

By: Representative Kaiser of the 59th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring the life and memory of Joseph "Big Joe" Campbell; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia mourns the loss of one of its most distinguished citizens
3 with the passing of Joseph "Big Joe" Campbell on January 17, 2015; and
- 4 WHEREAS, "Big Joe" was born on June 12, 1963, a beloved son of James Campbell and
5 Irma Jean Somraty; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Joe was united in love and marriage to Nancy Campbell, and was blessed with
7 two remarkable children, Christi Lynch and Tiffany Smith, and six wonderful grandchildren,
8 Braydn, Emma, Eli, Caleb, Titus, and Elizabeth; and
- 9 WHEREAS, he was a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation
10 for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness and, by the example he made of his life, he
11 made this world a better place in which to live; and
- 12 WHEREAS, a compassionate and generous man, Big Joe will long be remembered for his
13 love of family and friendship, and this loyal husband, father, son, brother, and friend will be
14 missed by all who had the great fortune of knowing him.
- 15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
16 the members of this body join in honoring the life and memory of Joseph "Big Joe" Campbell
17 and express their deepest and most sincere regret at his passing.
- 18 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
19 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the
20 family of Joseph "Big Joe" Campbell.