

## Senate Resolution 332

By: Senators Henson of the 41st, Miller of the 49th, Jones of the 25th, Jones of the 10th, Thompson of the 5th and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Charles Lynn Whittemoore on the grand occasion of his  
2 retirement; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Charles Lynn Whittemoore was a split end starter for the University of Georgia  
4 football team from 1968-1970; and

5 WHEREAS, he was a 1968 All-SEC Sophomore selection, an honorable mention All-SEC  
6 in 1969 and 1970, and a 1970 All-South team member; he won the local Evans K. Johnson  
7 Memorial Award in 1970 for showing the most leadership and character; and

8 WHEREAS, he led the Bulldogs in receiving for three years, served as president of the  
9 Georgia chapter of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, and was elected permanent  
10 offensive captain at the end of his senior season; and

11 WHEREAS, Charles Lynn Whittemoore began his coaching career at Memphis State in 1972  
12 as a wide receiver coach and in 1975 began coaching for three seasons at Vanderbilt  
13 University; and

14 WHEREAS, he served as an offensive assistant football coach for 13 seasons at the  
15 University of Georgia under Vince Dooley; and

16 WHEREAS, he was named Assistant Athletic Director for Facilities in July, 2000, a position  
17 in which he has honorably served for almost 15 years; and

18 WHEREAS, he is united in love and marriage to Debbie Fordham and has been blessed with  
19 two remarkable children, Amy and Chad, and four amazing grandchildren, Charles, McKay,  
20 Sareh Kate, and Austen; and

21 WHEREAS, Charles Lynn Whittemoore's significant organizational and leadership talents,  
22 his remarkable patience and diplomacy, his keen sense of vision, and his sensitivity to the  
23 needs of others have earned him the respect and admiration of his colleagues and associates;  
24 and

25 WHEREAS, he is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for  
26 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

27 WHEREAS, Charles Lynn Whittemoore has served with honor and distinction with the  
28 University of Georgia Athletic Department, making it abundantly fitting and proper that the  
29 outstanding accomplishments of this remarkable and distinguished Georgian be appropriately  
30 recognized.

31 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
32 congratulate Charles Lynn Whittemoore upon the grand occasion of his retirement and  
33 extend to him their most sincere best wishes for continued health and happiness.

34 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
35 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Charles Lynn  
36 Whittemoore.