

House Resolution 748

By: Representative Marin of the 96th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Caminar Latino for 25 years of service to the State of Georgia; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Caminar Latino has been a pillar of support to thousands of people whose lives
4 have been affected by domestic violence since 1990, when the organization provided its first
5 support group to women affected by domestic violence; and

6 WHEREAS, the support provided by Caminar Latino not only helps the victims of domestic
7 violence but also extends to their children and to the rehabilitation of their aggressors; and

8 WHEREAS, Caminar Latino's mission goes beyond treatment and counseling, empowering
9 women to be leaders in their communities and conducting numerous studies on the effects
10 of domestic violence, particularly on children; and

11 WHEREAS, Caminar Latino serves more than 42 counties in Georgia and more than 7,400
12 individuals, including survivors of domestic violence, youth, and men; and

13 WHEREAS, Caminar Latino has been nationally recognized and looked to as an organization
14 worth emulating, whose approach to domestic violence has proven fruitful and whose work
15 has been featured by the United States Department of Health and Human Services; and

16 WHEREAS, the Office for Victims of Crime chose Caminar Latino as an example of
17 effective treatment, included the organization in its recent published report, and documented
18 their work in their new video; and

19 WHEREAS, Caminar Latino celebrates 25 years of exemplary service to the community this
20 year.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
22 the members of this body commend Caminar Latino for 25 years of service to the
23 community, for their unrelenting service to their fellow humans, for their ability to tackle the
24 difficult topic of domestic violence, and for ensuring that thousands of lives are able to
25 continue after tragedy.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
27 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
28 Caminar Latino.