

## House Resolution 756

By: Representatives Hightower of the 68<sup>th</sup>, Powell of the 32<sup>nd</sup>, Cooke of the 18<sup>th</sup>, Taylor of the 173<sup>rd</sup>, Gravley of the 67<sup>th</sup>, and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the Emergency Management Association of Georgia and recognizing  
2 March 26, 2015, as Emergency Management Association Day at the capitol; and for other  
3 purposes.

4 WHEREAS, the Emergency Management Association of Georgia is an association of  
5 professionals serving its members by promoting professional development, providing  
6 networking opportunities, and serving as an advocate for the profession of emergency  
7 management; and

8 WHEREAS, it prides itself on being an association that demonstrates professionalism,  
9 integrity, respect, and teamwork and holds these values to the core of the organization; and

10 WHEREAS, its three major goals are to assist members in their efforts to save lives and  
11 protect property from the effects of disasters, to provide a forum for professionals to discuss  
12 current issues in the emergency management field, and to serve as a policy advisory board  
13 both to local emergency management agencies and to the State of Georgia Emergency  
14 Management Agency; and

15 WHEREAS, the Emergency Management Association of Georgia is governed by an  
16 Executive Committee, consisting of the Area Chairs and the Executive Board, which includes  
17 the President, first Vice President, second Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and eight  
18 Area Chairpersons, one from each area in Georgia; and

19 WHEREAS, the Emergency Management Association of Georgia is an integral part of the  
20 complex system of emergency management that provides for the safety and security of  
21 Georgian citizens.

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
23 the members of this body commend the Emergency Management Association of Georgia and  
24 recognize March 26, 2015, as Emergency Management Association Day at the capitol.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
26 and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the  
27 Emergency Management Association of Georgia.