

House Resolution 844

By: Representatives Greene of the 151st, Harden of the 148th, Smith of the 70th, and Williams of the 119th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Mr. William T. Potter, Jr. on the occasion of his retirement
2 from the Department of Natural Resources; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Mr. William T. Potter, Jr., has long been recognized by the citizens of this state
4 for the vital role that he has played in leadership and his deep personal commitment to the
5 welfare of the citizens of Georgia; and

6 WHEREAS, he has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of his time,
7 talents, and energy toward the betterment of his community and state as evidenced
8 dramatically by his superlative service with the Department of Natural Resources, starting
9 in 1982 as a ranger; and

10 WHEREAS, he was promoted to Ranger First Class in 1987, Corporal in 1991, and Sergeant
11 in 2000; he received Ranger of the Year for the Cordele District in 1989 and District
12 Conservation Ranger of the Year in 1993 and 1994; and

13 WHEREAS, Mr. Potter's significant organizational and leadership talents, his remarkable
14 patience and diplomacy, his keen sense of vision, and his sensitivity to the needs of the
15 citizens of this state have earned him the respect and admiration of his colleagues and
16 associates; and

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

19 WHEREAS, Mr. Potter has served with honor and distinction with the Department of Natural
20 Resources and his vision and unyielding commitment will be sorely missed upon the
21 occasion of his retirement; and

22 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
23 remarkable and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

24 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
25 the members of this body commend Mr. William T. Potter, Jr., for his efficient, effective,
26 unselfish, and dedicated public service to the State of Georgia and extend to him their most
27 sincere best wishes for continued health and happiness.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
29 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Mr.
30 William T. Potter, Jr.