

House Resolution 869

By: Representative Yates of the 73rd

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Cronic Chevrolet Buick GMC on their 40 year service to the community; and
2 for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Cronic Chevrolet Buick GMC was begun by J. A. and Freda Cronic in 1975 and
4 has been committed to providing excellent service, quality products, and fair prices for all
5 the consumers in Griffin, Spalding County, and the entire Southern Crescent area for the past
6 40 years; and

7 WHEREAS, in 1975, following service in the United States Navy during World War II and
8 careers as a City of Atlanta fireman and a truck broker, Mr. J. A. Cronic first obtained the
9 Chevrolet franchise for the Griffin/Spalding County area and purchased the dealership, then
10 known as Star Chevrolet; and

11 WHEREAS, starting with one dealership in downtown Griffin selling one car line
12 (Chevrolet), the Cronic Automotive Group has grown to include three dealerships on both
13 sides of the North Expressway representing eight new car franchises (Chevrolet, Buick,
14 GMC, Nissan, Chrysler, Jeep, Dodge, and RAM); and

15 WHEREAS, all three Cronic dealerships continue to operate on the same proven principles
16 and goals established by the Cronics 40 years ago, and that time-tested tradition of excellence
17 is carried on today by dealer Wanda Cronic Howell, the daughter of the founders; and

18 WHEREAS, it is appropriate to recognize the four decades of service provided to the
19 community by this corporate citizen and to commend their support for the community in the
20 area of new and used vehicle sales and service as well as in area arts organizations, civic
21 clubs, youth activities, religious causes, and local family events.

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
23 the members of this body commend Cronic Chevrolet Buick GMC for their 40 years of
24 service to the community and the State of Georgia.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
26 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
27 Cronic Chevrolet Buick GMC.