

## House Resolution 976

By: Representative Ralston of the 7<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Lynn Burch, Georgia's Family and Consumer Science  
2 Teacher of the Year for 2014-2015; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Fannin County High School teacher Lynn Burch was named Georgia's Family  
4 and Consumer Science Teacher of the Year for 2014-2015 at the recent state Consumer and  
5 Technical Educators meeting in Marietta; and

6 WHEREAS, Ms. Burch, who has taught family and consumer science at Fannin County High  
7 School for 23 years, said it was an honor to be recognized with the award; and

8 WHEREAS, she has been known to exhibit what she teaches and demonstrate the  
9 characteristics of a genuine, life-long learner; and

10 WHEREAS, a well-deserving recipient of this distinguished award, Ms. Burch has a huge  
11 heart for all of the students with whom she interacts at Fannin County High School; and

12 WHEREAS, she is a model educator who contributes immeasurably to her students and her  
13 professional organization, the Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America; her  
14 FCCLA chapter has been recognized as one of the top chapters in the State of Georgia and  
15 has sent numerous students to national competitions with Ms. Burch as the advisor; and

16 WHEREAS, additionally, with the help of *The News Observer* and *Georgia Mountains*  
17 *Health*, her FCCLA chapter published a magazine called *Fannin County, A Home for All*  
18 *Seasons*, which has also received state-wide recognition; and

19 WHEREAS, in honor of Ms. Burch's contributions to the education and welfare of young  
20 people in this state, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments  
21 of this distinguished individual be appropriately recognized.

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
23 the members of this body recognize and commend Lynn Burch for her work with Georgia  
24 students and congratulate her on being named Georgia's Family and Consumer Science  
25 Teacher of the Year for 2014-2015.

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 Lynn  
28 Burch.