

Senate Resolution 691

By: Senator Black of the 8th

#### A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing February 3, 2016, as 4-H Day at the state capitol; commending Mr. Ben Lord,  
2 Mr. Arch D. Smith, and the 2015-2016 4-H Leadership Team; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, 4-H members consistently demonstrate the ability and leadership necessary to  
4 be champions and serve as outstanding representatives and officers of the young people of  
5 Georgia; and

6 WHEREAS, Mr. Ben Lord of Ben Hill County serves with distinction and dedication as State  
7 4-H Club President; and

8 WHEREAS, Mr. Arch D. Smith of the University of Georgia Cooperative Extension and  
9 State 4-H Leader has worked diligently with the 4-H Clubs throughout Georgia; and

10 WHEREAS, the leadership, dedication, and hard work of Kyle Sellers of Columbia County,  
11 Tjay Williams of Gwinnett County, Sophia Rodriguez of Liberty County, and James  
12 Hancock of Irwin County have been acknowledged by the 4-H membership in their election  
13 of each of these young people to serve as district president for 2015-2016; and

14 WHEREAS, the excellent record of accomplishments in citizenship and leadership of Brett  
15 Allen of Johnson County, Thomas Gilbert of Bartow County, Mathew Pryor of Bartow  
16 County, and Trent Whisenant of Murray County were recognized in Washington, D.C., at  
17 the 2015 National 4-H Conference; and

18 WHEREAS, Camilla Summerford of Seminole County and Thomas Gilbert of Bartow  
19 County were named 2015 Leadership in Action Winners; and

20 WHEREAS, Trevor Barkley of Bleckley County, Jannah Brown of Pulaski County,  
21 Elizabeth Hanson of Pike County, Ezra Hall of Bartow County, and Anna Holcombe of Hart  
22 County were named state winners in the 2015 Deans' Awards competition; and

23 WHEREAS, Hannah Mosely of Bleckley County was declared champion of the 2015  
24 National 4-H Turkey Barbecue Competition at the National 4-H Poultry and Egg Conference  
25 in Louisville, Kentucky; and

26 WHEREAS, Caroline Dunn, Justin Harper, Karen Ouano, and Nicole Taylor of Tift County  
27 were declared First Place Poultry Judging Team at the National 4-H Poultry and Egg  
28 Conference in Louisville, Kentucky.

29 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
30 recognize February 3, 2016, as 4-H Day at the capitol and commend Mr. Ben Lord, State 4-H  
31 Club President, Mr. Arch D. Smith, State 4-H Leader, and the 2015-2016 4-H Leadership  
32 Team for their numerous accomplishments and for the leadership that they have  
33 demonstrated.

34 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
35 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the University of  
36 Georgia Cooperative Extension.