

House Resolution 992

By: Representative Belton of the 112th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Mayor Fred Perriman; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Fred Perriman served on the Madison city council for three decades before he
3 was elected Mayor of Madison, Georgia, in November 2013 with no opposition and was
4 sworn into office on January 2, 2014, the first African-American to be elected as Mayor of
5 Madison; and

6 WHEREAS, Mr. Perriman is one of seven children born to Tommie and Lena Perriman in
7 Madison, where he graduated from Pearl Burney High School; and

8 WHEREAS, as the pastor of Ebenezer Baptist Church in Lincolnton, Georgia, he has served
9 faithfully for the past ten years, teaching and preaching the gospel, and he is the past
10 moderator of the First Shiloh Association; and

11 WHEREAS, his community involvement is further evidenced by his service on various
12 boards and committees, including chaplain at Morgan Memorial Hospital, lifetime member
13 of the NAACP, and a founding board member of the Morgan County African-American
14 Museum; and

15 WHEREAS, he and his wife Marie have been happily married for 43 years and are the proud
16 parents of Angela, Phalanda, and Crystal and proud grandparents of Alexis and Aden.

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
18 the members of this body commend Mayor Fred Perriman for his efficient, effective, and
19 dedicated public service to the City of Madison and extend to him their most sincere best
20 wishes for continued health and happiness.

21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
22 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
23 Mayor Fred Perriman.