By: Representatives McCall of the 33rd and Williams of the 119th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing February 2, 2016, as Equine Youth Day at the state capitol and honoring the

2 2016 Youth Equine Champions; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, several young equestrians from Georgia have obtained great achievements and 4 displayed excellence during the past year; and

5 WHEREAS, through participation in various local equine programs, students have 6 represented their family, community, and state in displaying the highest level of 7 discipline; and

8 WHEREAS, Jamie Parker, Sydney Banaszek, Kelsey Bostic, Ana Cristina Marin, Caroline

9 Stethers, Erin Doyle, Laney Huddleston, and Kaydie Huddleston have competed on the local,

10 regional, national, and world levels with their equine partners to reach the highest level of

11 distinction and receive the title of 2016 Youth Equine Champion; and

12 WHEREAS, participation in equine programs provides youth with the opportunity to learn

13 and display responsibility and foster relationships with animals through care and respect; and

WHEREAS, these distinguished young Georgians serve as ambassadors for the State of 14 15 Georgia and the equine community during their many competitions and performances; and

16 WHEREAS, these stewards of Georgia agriculture and the animal kingdom serve as shining 17 examples to all of Georgia, and their many achievements are worthy of recognition by the 18 members of this body.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that 19 the members of this body recognize February 2, 2016, as Equine Youth Day at the state 20

capitol and honor the 2016 Youth Equine Champions. 21

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- 22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the
- 24 public and the press.