

House Resolution 1638

By: Representatives Smith of the 70th, Ramsey of the 72nd, Stover of the 71st, and Trammell of the 132nd

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing Bonnell Aluminum on the grand occasion of its 60th anniversary; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Bonnell Aluminum celebrated its 60th anniversary with the theme
4 "remembering the past and celebrating the future"; and

5 WHEREAS, construction began for the plant in Newnan, Georgia, in 1953, and in 1955, Mr.
6 William Bonnell bought out his partner to form a new entity, The William L. Bonnell
7 Company, Inc.; and

8 WHEREAS, Mr. Bonnell became the president of the plant, which specializes in aluminum
9 extrusions, and under his leadership, the plant increased its capacity by 325 percent in two
10 years; and

11 WHEREAS, Mr. Bonnell died in 1960, but his legacy lives on; Bonnell Aluminum now has
12 additional plants in Tennessee, Indiana, and Michigan, and the Newnan location has 327
13 employees; and

14 WHEREAS, Bonnell Aluminum is currently led by president Brook Hamilton, and the
15 Newnan location is under the leadership of plant manager Robert Gregory; and

16 WHEREAS, since its opening in 1955, the company has survived many economic downturns
17 by continually adjusting to the times and has achieved many milestones through hard work
18 and relentless dedication from all of its employees.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
20 the members of this body recognize Bonnell Aluminum on the grand occasion of its 60th
21 anniversary and wish it continued success.

22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
23 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
24 Bonnell Aluminum.