

House Resolution 1659

By: Representatives Stovall of the 74th, Thomas of the 56th, Jones of the 53rd, and Scott of the 76th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing Sylvia McAfee; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Sylvia McAfee, who is known to her audiences as "Sylvia James," is an Atlanta
3 native with an exemplary career in radio broadcasting; and
- 4 WHEREAS, she started her radio broadcasting career through a high school internship with
5 AM 1340 WIGO, which, along with her knowledge of the music industry, solidified her
6 pursuit in broadcasting; and
- 7 WHEREAS, as a student at Hampton University, she joined the staff of 88.3 WHOV-FM,
8 where she became the music director and an on-air personality; and
- 9 WHEREAS, after graduating from Hampton University in 1988, Ms. McAfee returned to
10 WIGO, joined Magic 107.5 to work in the weekend and, later, mid-day time slots, and
11 accepted a job at KISS 104.1 FM, where she served in various station operations and
12 production capacities; and
- 13 WHEREAS, she also worked in television news as an audio technician for KMIR in Palm
14 Springs, California; WYFF in Greenville, South Carolina; and WAGA Fox 5 in Atlanta,
15 Georgia; and
- 16 WHEREAS, while establishing herself in the broadcast industry, Ms. McAfee has
17 simultaneously pursued her second passion, photography, and is currently the owner of a
18 commercial event photography company, SMc Photography, Inc.
- 19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
20 the members of this body recognize Sylvia McAfee for her exemplary accomplishments and
21 contributions to the State of Georgia.

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 Sylvia McAfee.