

ADOPTED

Representatives Cheokas of the 138th and Smith of the 134th offer the following amendment:

1 *Amend the House Committee on Transportation substitute to SR 892 (LC 39 1413S) by*
2 *inserting between lines 41 and 42 the following:*

3 WHEREAS, our nation's security continues to rely on patriotic men and women who put
4 their personal lives on hold in order to place themselves in harm's way to protect the
5 freedoms that all United States citizens cherish; and

6 WHEREAS, Sergeant First Class Victor A. Anderson demonstrated a deep personal
7 commitment to protecting democracy and a willingness to sacrifice his own personal safety
8 and comfort to ensure the well-being of his fellow man; and

9 WHEREAS, he served as a guardian of this nation's freedom and liberty with the United
10 States Army and Army National Guard for 22 years and was killed in action while serving
11 in Iraq; and

12 WHEREAS, Sergeant First Class Anderson's commendations include the Bronze Star, Purple
13 Heart, Combat Infantryman's Badge, Army Commendation Medal, Army Achievement
14 Medal, Army Good Conduct Medal, Army Reserve Component Achievement Medal,
15 National Defense Service Medal, Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, Southwest Asia
16 Service Medal, Iraqi Campaign Medal, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal,
17 Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Armed Forces Service Medal, Armed Forces
18 Reserve Medal, NCO Professional Development Ribbon, Army Service Ribbon, Army
19 Overseas Service Ribbon, United Nations Medal, NATO Medal-Former Republic of
20 Yugoslavia, Kuwait Liberation Medal-Saudi Arabia, Kuwait Liberation Medal-Kuwait,
21 Georgia Special Operations Ribbon, and Georgia State Active Duty Ribbon; and

22 WHEREAS, he served as a police officer and deputy sheriff in his hometown of Ellaville and
23 as a deputy sheriff in Sumter County; and

24 WHEREAS, Sergeant First Class Anderson embodied the spirit of service, willing to find
25 meaning in something greater than himself, and it is abundantly fitting and proper that this
26 remarkable and distinguished American be recognized appropriately by dedicating a road in
27 his memory.

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PART IV

29 *By inserting between lines 47 and 48 the following:*

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED AND ENACTED that the portion of Highway 19 from
31 Schley County mile marker 0 to Sumter County mile marker 15.7 and continuing to the
32 northern city limits of Americus at mile marker 14 is dedicated as the SFC Victor A.
33 Anderson Memorial Highway.

34 *By deleting line 53 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:*

35 Perdue, to the family of Mr. Bob Bryant and Sergeant First Class Victor A. Anderson, and
36 to the Department of Transportation.