

House Resolution 93

By: Representatives Gravley of the 67th, Collins of the 68th, Bruce of the 61st, Boddie of the 62nd, and Alexander of the 66th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing the Douglas County Film Trail's efforts in promoting tourism and showcasing
2 the county's famous film and television sites; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Douglas County became involved in film industry productions with the local
4 filming of *Smokey and the Bandit* in 1976 and since then, 36 television shows and major
5 motion pictures, as well as countless commercials and independent projects, have been shot
6 in Douglas County; and

7 WHEREAS, the Douglas County Film Trail is designed to encourage tourism by highlighting
8 numerous areas across the community where popular films and television shows have been
9 filmed; and

10 WHEREAS, visitors to the Douglas County Film Trail can use digital maps or hard copies
11 from the Douglas County Welcome Centers and Film Office to conduct semi-structured,
12 self-guided tours of various film sites; and

13 WHEREAS, Douglas County Film Trail is designed to leverage the popularity of the film
14 industry along with the assets of Douglas County by attracting tourists to the community with
15 popular film locations and promoting Douglas County to the film industry as an excellent
16 location for new business.

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
18 the members of this body recognize Douglas County Film Trail for its efforts in enhancing
19 tourism by adding a new element of visiting popular film project sites in the community.

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
21 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the
22 Douglas County Film Trail.