

House Resolution 102

By: Representatives Williams of the 119th and Quick of the 117th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Charles Michael "Mike" Link on the occasion of his
2 retirement; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Charles Michael "Mike" Link has long been recognized by the citizens of this
4 state for the vital role that he has played in leadership and his deep personal commitment to
5 the welfare of the citizens of Georgia; and

6 WHEREAS, he has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of his time,
7 talents, and energy toward the betterment of his community and state as evidenced
8 dramatically by his superlative service as Councilman for the City of Watkinsville, Georgia;
9 and

10 WHEREAS, Mike has served the Watkinsville public for a total of 25 years as a council
11 member; and

12 WHEREAS, his tremendous amount of courage and selflessness is evident in his work as a
13 volunteer firefighter for the Oconee County Volunteer Fire Rescue since 1972; and

14 WHEREAS, this distinguished gentleman has given inspiration to many through his high
15 ideals, morals, and deep concern for his fellow citizens, and he possesses the vast wisdom
16 which only comes through experience and the strength of character which is achieved
17 through overcoming the many challenges of life; and

18 WHEREAS, he is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for
19 integrity, intelligence, bravery, and kindness; and

20 WHEREAS, Mike has served with honor and distinction with the City of Watkinsville, and
21 his vision and unyielding commitment to firefighting and public service will be sorely missed
22 upon the occasion of his retirement; and

23 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
24 remarkable and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

25 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
26 the members of this body recognize and commend Charles Michael "Mike" Link for his
27 efficient, effective, unselfish, and dedicated public service to the State of Georgia,
28 congratulate him upon the grand occasion of his retirement, and extend the most sincere best
29 wishes for continued health and happiness.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
31 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
32 Charles Michael "Mike" Link.