

House Resolution 112

By: Representatives Benton of the 31st and Quick of the 117th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the East Jackson girls' softball team for winning the 2016 GHSA Class AAA
2 State Softball Championship; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the East Jackson girls' softball team has established and maintained a proud
4 tradition of excellence with equal emphases on character and academics; and

5 WHEREAS, this superlative team has completed a triumphant season of softball competition
6 by posting an outstanding record of 30 wins and only 11 losses; and

7 WHEREAS, the team brought special recognition to its school and county by winning the
8 2016 GHSA Class AAA State Softball Championship against a formidable opponent,
9 Calhoun, denying them their fourth state championship; and

10 WHEREAS, the phenomenal performance of the team is a clear indication of the outstanding
11 athletic ability, the dedication and hard work, and the unity of purpose and spirit of each
12 member of the team under the astute direction of Coach Donnie Byrom; and

13 WHEREAS, this all-star team included five seniors, Jessie Marvin, Faith Grooms, Ally
14 Petering, Nicci Murphy, and Becca Hill; and

15 WHEREAS, the East Jackson girls' softball team performed with precision during the season
16 and earned its well-deserved reputation for high standards of athletic achievement, the
17 quality of its play, and the stiff competition it presented to its opponents.

18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
19 the members of this body commend the East Jackson girls' softball team for winning the
20 2016 GHSA Class AAA State Softball Championship and extend their most sincere best
21 wishes for 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 the
24 East Jackson girls' softball team.