

## House Resolution 229

By: Representatives Shaw of the 176<sup>th</sup>, Houston of the 170<sup>th</sup>, Carter of the 175<sup>th</sup>, Corbett of the 174<sup>th</sup>, and Pirkle of the 155<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating the Coastal Plain Area Economic Opportunity Authority, Inc., on the  
2 occasion of its 50th anniversary; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, on March 14, 2017, the Coastal Plain Area Economic Authority, Inc., will be  
4 celebrating its 50th anniversary; and

5 WHEREAS, founded in 1966, the authority is devoted to serving low-income families in its  
6 community; and

7 WHEREAS, as one of the most respected programs in this state, it has invested over \$250  
8 million of federal, state, and local funds in each of its ten counties over the course of its 50  
9 years; and

10 WHEREAS, this grant funded program has successfully improved the lives of all those  
11 assisted by its efforts; and

12 WHEREAS, this exceptional agency has proved to be incredibly resourceful in its service  
13 to the State of Georgia and anticipates expanding its impact to more areas of need; and

14 WHEREAS, it is abundantly proper to recognize the Coastal Plain Area Economic  
15 Opportunity Authority, Inc., for its outstanding service to the community.

16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
17 the members of this body congratulate the Coastal Plain Area Economic Opportunity  
18 Authority, Inc., on the grand occasion of its 50th anniversary.

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
20 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the  
21 Coastal Plain Area Economic Opportunity Authority, Inc.