

## House Resolution 248

By: Representatives Williams of the 168<sup>th</sup> and Stephens of the 164<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending and congratulating Mary Fulwood; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Mary Fulwood was born on February 1, 1937, in Bryan County, Georgia, and  
3 this year she enjoys the delightful distinction of celebrating her 80th birthday; and
- 4 WHEREAS, the devotion, patience, and understanding she has demonstrated have provided  
5 the foundation of success from which her family members have developed and flourished for  
6 three generations as evidenced by her 12 wonderful children, 20 outstanding grandchildren,  
7 and 14 exceptional great-grandchildren; and
- 8 WHEREAS, this distinguished citizen of Georgia has given inspiration to many through her  
9 high ideals, morals, and deep commitment to her family and community; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Mary Fulwood possesses the vast wisdom which only comes through  
11 experience and the strength of character which is achieved through overcoming the many  
12 challenges of life; and
- 13 WHEREAS, she is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for  
14 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and
- 15 WHEREAS, a kind and generous person, Mary Fulwood brings joy and happiness to her  
16 family and to the many friends and neighbors who have the great pleasure of knowing her;  
17 and
- 18 WHEREAS, she has witnessed a dramatic change in the world over the course of her lifetime  
19 and we salute her contribution to its progress through her tireless efforts on behalf of her  
20 community and extended family; and

21 WHEREAS, by the example Mary Fulwood has made of her life, she makes this world a  
22 better place in which to live, and it is only fitting and proper that she be appropriately  
23 recognized during this very special and memorable time of her life.

24 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
25 the members of this body commend Mary Fulwood for her unselfish, dedicated, and loving  
26 service to the members of her family and community; congratulate her on the remarkable  
27 occasion of her 80th birthday; and extend their most sincere best wishes for continued health  
28 and happiness.

29 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
30 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Mary  
31 Fulwood.