

House Resolution 563

By: Representative Ehrhart of the 36th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Georgia Tech alumni General Philip Breedlove and Admiral
2 James "Sandy" Winnefeld for their service to our nation and for returning as distinguished
3 professors at Georgia Tech; and for other purposes.

4 WHEREAS, General Philip Breedlove and Admiral James "Sandy" Winnefeld were Pi
5 Kappa Alpha fraternity brothers and roommates while attending the Georgia Institute of
6 Technology, earning their degrees in civil engineering in 1977 and aerospace engineering in
7 1978, respectively; and

8 WHEREAS, General Philip Breedlove served as NATO's Supreme Allied Commander
9 Europe and the U.S. European Command Commander, commanding all U.S. and Allied
10 troops in Afghanistan and Kosovo as well as all NATO operations across Europe and the
11 Mediterranean; and

12 WHEREAS, Admiral James "Sandy" Winnefeld served as the vice chairman of the Joint
13 Chiefs of Staff, the Commander of the United States Northern Command, the North
14 American Aerospace Defense Command, the United States Sixth Fleet, and NATO Allied
15 Joint Command in Lisbon; and

16 WHEREAS, General Philip Breedlove and Admiral James "Sandy" Winnefeld rank among
17 the most distinguished and valuable military leaders in the world today; and

18 WHEREAS, General Philip Breedlove and Admiral James "Sandy" Winnefeld have returned
19 as distinguished professors in the Sam Nunn School of International Affairs in the Ivan Allen
20 College of Liberal Arts at the Georgia Institute of Technology; and

21 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of these
22 remarkable and distinguished Georgians be appropriately recognized.

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
24 the members of this body recognize and commend Georgia Tech alumni General Philip
25 Breedlove and Admiral James "Sandy" Winnefeld for their service to our nation and for
26 returning as distinguished professors at Georgia Tech.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
28 and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to
29 General Philip Breedlove and Admiral James "Sandy" Winnefeld.