

## House Resolution 897

By: Representatives LaRiccia of the 169<sup>th</sup>, Pirkle of the 155<sup>th</sup>, Corbett of the 174<sup>th</sup>, Rhodes of the 120<sup>th</sup>, and Watson of the 172<sup>nd</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Shirley Quenzer and her dedication as an educator and coach  
2 for the Coffee County school system; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Shirley Quenzer is a current resident of Douglas, Georgia, originally from  
4 Connersville, Indiana; and

5 WHEREAS, she is a graduate of Rushville High School and Indiana University, where she  
6 played on the women's intercollegiate basketball and softball teams and was the  
7 intercollegiate sport head for field hockey; and

8 WHEREAS, Shirley began teaching at Coffee High School (CHS) in August 1973, and has  
9 taught continuously for 44 years as a physical education teacher, basketball coach, student  
10 council sponsor, cheerleading coach, and as the current social studies teacher; and

11 WHEREAS, she was instrumental in the development of the Advanced Placement Program  
12 on Coffee High's campus, was selected by her peers for two years in a row as the Coffee  
13 High Teacher of the Year, and was honored in 2016 at the Georgia Association of Students  
14 Council Conference 75th anniversary for her 34 years of service; and

15 WHEREAS, Shirley has touched the lives of over 20,000 students through her work with  
16 academics, student organizations, and sports, and has impacted not only Coffee County, but  
17 the State of Georgia as a whole.

18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
19 the members of this body recognize and commend Shirley Quenzer for her dedication as an  
20 educator and coach for the Coffee County school system.

21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
22 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to  
23 Shirley Quenzer.