

Senate Resolution 751

By: Senators Jones of the 10th, Williams of the 39th, Seay of the 34th, Butler of the 55th,
Parent of the 42nd and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Dana Lemon; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Dana Lemon is the first woman elected to serve on the Transportation Board
3 of Georgia and is currently in her third term; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Dana graduated from Davidson College in 1986 and Gupton Jones College of
5 Funeral Services in Atlanta in 1995; and
- 6 WHEREAS, she spent several years as a successful bank executive before joining her
7 family's business; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Dana is the president and co-owner of her family business, W.D. Lemon and
9 Sons Funeral Home, and she serves in leadership roles with the National Funeral Directors
10 and Morticians Association and the Georgia Funeral Service Practitioners Association; and
- 11 WHEREAS, she is a 2003 graduate of Leadership Henry and 2012 graduate of Leadership
12 Atlanta; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Dana has been honored numerous times for her outstanding community work,
14 and she received the Atlanta Award from the Henry County Chamber of Commerce in 2006;
15 and
- 16 WHEREAS, a woman of deep and abiding faith, Dana is an active member of New Life
17 Church in Decatur; and
- 18 WHEREAS, her significant organizational and leadership talents, her remarkable patience
19 and diplomacy, her keen sense of vision, her strong sense of loyalty, and her positive work
20 ethic have earned her the respect and admiration of her colleagues and associates; and

21 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the accomplishments of this
22 extraordinary Georgian be appropriately recognized.

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
24 commend Dana Lemon on her contributions to the State of Georgia and recognize her many
25 years of effective, unselfish, and dedicated public service.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
27 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Dana Lemon.