

Senate Resolution 969

By: Senator Martin of the 9th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Chief of Police Randy Johnson on the occasion of his
2 retirement; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Chief of Police Randy Johnson has long been recognized by the citizens of this
4 state for the vital role that he has played in leadership and his deep personal commitment to
5 the welfare of the citizens of Georgia; and

6 WHEREAS, he has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of his time,
7 talents, and energy toward the betterment of his community and state as evidenced
8 dramatically by his 21 years of service as the Lawrenceville Chief of Police and by his 33
9 years of faithful service to the City of Lawrenceville; and

10 WHEREAS, he is highly regarded by the citizens of his community and by state and local
11 government officials as a man of unquestioned integrity and dedication to the administration
12 of justice and sound principles of law enforcement; and

13 WHEREAS, this spirited law enforcement professional has exhibited extraordinary devotion
14 to duty, outstanding loyalty, fine leadership, and meticulous attention to detail in all of his
15 duties; and

16 WHEREAS, he displayed kindness, servant leadership, and dedication to officers and
17 employees during his time with the Lawrenceville Police Department; and

18 WHEREAS, Chief Johnson received both the 2015 Georgia Association of Chiefs of Police
19 Chief of the Year Award and the Gwinnett Chamber VALOR Award for Public Service and
20 Leadership; and

21 WHEREAS, his agency hosted training for other agencies to support the Georgia Association
22 of Chiefs of Police, and he helped to raise funds for the "Lawrenceville Police Scholarship"
23 at Georgia Gwinnett College; and

24 WHEREAS, his inspiring commitment to the welfare of others is an outstanding example of
25 the positive effect law enforcement professionals have on the lives and well-being of others;
26 and

27 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that gratitude is expressed for the unique and
28 often unheralded contributions of local law enforcement professionals on behalf of the
29 citizens of this state.

30 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
31 recognize and commend Chief of Police Randy Johnson for his many years of dedicated
32 service to the City of Lawrenceville and the Lawrenceville Police Department; congratulate
33 him upon the grand occasion of his retirement; and extend the most sincere best wishes for
34 continued health and happiness.

35 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
36 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Chief of Police
37 Randy Johnson.