

## House Resolution 1778

By: Representatives Dempsey of the 13<sup>th</sup>, Coomer of the 14<sup>th</sup>, and Lumsden of the 12<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Heart of the Community Foundation 2018 Young Heart  
2 Award recipient, Jay Shell; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Jay Shell moved to Rome, Georgia, 20 years ago and dedicated himself to  
4 making his community the best that it could possibly be; and

5 WHEREAS, he has been involved in several aspects of his community, including the  
6 Downtown Development Authority; the Business Improvement Board; Leadership Rome;  
7 serving as a community coach for Rome Floyd Parks and Rec; and being elected to the Floyd  
8 County Board of Education; and

9 WHEREAS, Jay opened the first business in downtown Rome, Brewhouse Music and Grill,  
10 at 333 on Broad in 2009, and it has served as a great partner for local schools and sport teams  
11 ever since; and

12 WHEREAS, he recently partnered with Dr. Trent Prault to open Rome City Brewing  
13 Company; and

14 WHEREAS, Jay's philosophy is that every human deserves a chance, that a smile goes a long  
15 way, and that it costs nothing to be nice; and

16 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding contributions of this  
17 exemplary and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
19 the members of this body recognize Jay for his outstanding dedication to his community,  
20 commend him as a recipient of the Heart of the Community Foundation 2018 Young Heart  
21 Award, and extend the most sincere best wishes for continued success and happiness.

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