

## Senate Resolution 110

By: Senators Heath of the 31st, Gooch of the 51st, Mullis of the 53rd, Harper of the 7th, Tillery of the 19th and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing February 20, 2019, as the 7th Annual Legislative Fly-In at the state capitol and  
2 commending the Georgia Airports Association and its leadership; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Georgia's airport system is an extremely important and valuable transportation  
4 resource for this state's residents, businesses, visitors, and recreational aviators; and

5 WHEREAS, the mission of the Georgia Airports Association is "to provide, develop, and  
6 expand a safe and efficient airports system to meet the future economic growth of Georgia  
7 through the full implementation of the State Aviation System Plan"; and

8 WHEREAS, the State Aviation System Plan recognizes that airports are an indispensable  
9 component of this state's total transportation system that strongly supports this state's  
10 economy; and

11 WHEREAS, Georgia Airports Association President Tom Strong, former President Kevin  
12 Britton, Vice President Lenard Robinson, Treasurer Mike Mathews, Legislative Chair Mario  
13 Evans, and Secretary Robert Burr have diligently and conscientiously worked to obtain the  
14 maximum amount of financial support they can for every airport in Georgia, regardless of  
15 size or type; and

16 WHEREAS, the Georgia Airports Association's expansive networking organization provides  
17 a forum where questions can be asked and where answers and documents can be shared by  
18 individuals, allowing smaller airfields to accomplish much more in a limited period of time  
19 with the money and resources available; and

20 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper to recognize the vital role that these airports  
21 play in connecting their areas to the aviation system for their region, this state, and the  
22 nation.

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
24 recognize February 20, 2019, as the 7th Annual Legislative Fly-In at the state capitol and  
25 commend the Georgia Airports Association and its leadership, Tom Strong, Kevin Britton,  
26 Lenard Robinson, Mike Mathews, Mario Evans, Jim Galloway, Kim Wade, and Jason Pinnix  
27 for their dedicated service to the State of Georgia.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
29 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the Georgia  
30 Airports Association.