

Senate Resolution 124

By: Senator Harbison of the 15th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing March 5, 2019, as Columbus Day at the state capitol; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Columbus was the first Consolidated Government in Georgia, and the
3 Columbus region of Georgia is known for its fantastic visitor attractions, white water rafting,
4 expansive defense entities, economic growth and development, servant leadership, education
5 excellence, and beautiful natural landscapes; and
- 6 WHEREAS, the region is known for its public and private partnerships that have generated
7 success for the area with projects such as the RiverCenter for the Performing Arts, an
8 exciting downtown campus for Columbus State University, white water rafting, and the
9 Valley Partnership Joint Development Authority; and
- 10 WHEREAS, the Greater Columbus Georgia Chamber of Commerce is the first chamber in
11 Georgia to receive a 5-Star rating, an elite designation earned by only the top five percent of
12 all chambers of commerce in the United States; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Columbus is home to numerous defense, national, and international institutions,
14 including Aflac, Fort Benning and the Maneuver Center of Excellence, W.C. Bradley
15 Company, Pratt and Whitney, Synovus, and TSYS; and
- 16 WHEREAS, the citizens of the Greater Columbus Region are justly proud of their
17 community and region, their past, their exciting future, and their many contributions to this
18 state, and thus it is only proper to recognize March 5, 2019, as Columbus Day at the Capitol.
- 19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
20 recognize March 5, 2019, as Columbus Day at the state capitol.

21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
22 to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the public and the
23 press.