

House Resolution 175

By: Representatives Williamson of the 115th, Benton of the 31st, Douglas of the 78th, McCall of the 33rd, and Erwin of the 28th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Coach Thomas "T" McFerrin; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Coach Thomas "T" McFerrin was a head high school football coach for 38
3 seasons and compiled a record of 317-84-4, winning 79 percent of his games; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Coach T is one of only 13 coaches to win 300 or more games in the state of
5 Georgia, and he has won 12 region championships and two state championships; and
- 6 WHEREAS, he is the only coach to lead four Georgia high school football teams to the state
7 finals, five to the semifinals, and seven to the quarterfinals; as well as the only coach to lead
8 seven Georgia high school football teams to region championships; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Coach T is a reliable and hard-working volunteer for the Monroe Museum, an
10 active member of the First United Methodist, and he continues to have a positive influence
11 in the lives of young athletes through his work with the Fellowship of Christian Athletes; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Coach Thomas "T" McFerrin is a 2018 inductee into the Georgia Sports Hall
13 of Fame; and
- 14 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that Coach Thomas "T" McFerrin be
15 appropriately recognized for the tremendous positive difference he has made in the lives of
16 countless young men and women throughout this state.
- 17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
18 the members of this body recognize Coach Thomas "T" McFerrin on the grand occasion of
19 his being inducted into the Georgia Sports Hall of Fame and commend his remarkable
20 contributions on behalf of the young people of Georgia.

21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
22 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
23 Coach Thomas "T" McFerrin.