House Resolution 239 By: Representative Stephens of the 164th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Designating the Savannah Logistics Technology Innovation Corridor as an official
- 2 technology innovation corridor in Georgia; and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, Georgia's economy would greatly benefit from further growth in the 4 information technology arena; and
- 5 WHEREAS, it is highly desirable to review current state incentives as well as opportunities
- 6 for future incentives for technology growth; and
- 7 WHEREAS, it would be beneficial to establish specific information technology corridors in
- 8 this state, and such corridors would directly foster the growth of information technology and
- 9 innovation through local collaboration among universities, hospitals, and logistics hubs; and
- 10 WHEREAS, it would be advantageous for official corridors to be established for the pursuit
- 11 of state and federal grants; and
- 12 WHEREAS, the Savannah Logistics Technology Innovation Corridor shall be composed of
- 13 the following two contiguous parcels:
- 14 Parcel '1'
- 15 All that territory hereinafter described, including all parcels abutting either said of every
- 16 named road, street, or other vehicular right of way:
- 17 Beginning at the state line between the State of Georgia and the State of South Carolina
- 18 where said line intersects U.S. Highway 17 and running thence north along said state line to
- 19 a point due west of the southern boundary of the Savannah National Wildlife refuge on Kings
- 20 Island; running thence west to and along said southern boundary; leaving said boundary as
- 21 it turns northwest and running thence due west to the west bank of the Savannah River;
- 22 running thence north along the west bank of the Savannah River to its intersection with the
- 23 southern boundary of the Savannah National Wildlife Refuge; running thence west along said
- boundary to its intersection with the eastern terminus of EMD Boulevard; running thence

25 north along the western boundary of the Savannah National Wildlife Refuge to its intersection with Interstate 95; running thence north along Interstate 95 to its intersection 26 27 with the state line of the State of Georgia and the State of South Carolina; running thence due west to State Highway 21; running thence north along State Highway 21 to its intersection 28 with West 9th Street/Blandford Road; running thence west along Blanford Road/Blue Jay 29 Road/State Highway 156 to Sand Hill Road; running thence south along Sand Hill Road to 30 31 its intersection with U.S. Highway 80; running thence west along U.S. Highway 80 to its intersection with U.S. Highway 280; running thence southwest along U.S. Highway 280 to 32 33 its intersection with State Highway 204; running thence east along State Highway 204 to its 34 intersection with East Victory Street; running thence west along East Victory Street to its intersection with Bull Street; running thence north along Bull Street to its intersection with 35 36 West Park Avenue; running thence west along West Park Avenue to its intersection with 37 Montgomery Street; running thence north along Montgomery Street and continuing from its terminus directly to the point of beginning on the state line of the State of Georgia and the 38 39 State of South Carolina. 40 Parcel '2'

41 All that territory extending one and one half mile along each side of Interstate 95 from its

42 intersection with State Highway 204 south to its intersection with Belfast-Keller Road.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
GEORGIA that the members of this body designate the Savannah Logistics Technology
Innovation Corridor as an official technology innovation corridor in the State of Georgia.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the
public and the press.