

House Resolution 286

By: Representatives Park of the 101st, Nguyen of the 89th, Lopez Romero of the 99th, Cannon of the 58th, Holcomb of the 81st, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending the contributions of InspirASIAN Atlanta; celebrating the
2 Lunar New Year; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the 2019 Lunar New Year fell on Tuesday, February 5, marking the beginning
4 of the Year of the Pig; it is universally celebrated by communities across the world as a time
5 to renew family ties, and start the new year with a clean slate; and

6 WHEREAS, the celebration of the Lunar New Year throughout Georgia illustrates the state's
7 rich cultural history and commitment to racial, religious, and cultural diversity, and

8 WHEREAS, the Atlanta Chapter of InspirASIAN was founded in 2007 and fosters diversity
9 appreciation and inclusion in the workplace and community. The organization invokes
10 inspiration from celebrating Asian Pacific Islander heritage, increases cultural awareness, and
11 develops inspiring leaders. InspirASIAN Atlanta engages with imagination to deliver
12 meaningful events and innovative programs that inspire others to make a difference; and

13 WHEREAS, the InspirASIAN Atlanta Scholarship Foundation supports graduating high
14 school seniors afford their college education through our scholarship awards; and

15 WHEREAS, InspirASIAN Atlanta will ring in the Lunar New Year at Canton House
16 Restaurant on February 23, 2019.

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
18 the members of this body join InspirASIAN Atlanta and the Asian and Pacific Islander
19 communities in celebrating the Lunar New Year and extend best wishes for a peaceful and
20 prosperous Lunar New Year to all.

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 InspirASIAN Atlanta.