

House Resolution 355

By: Representatives Stovall of the 74th, Burnough of the 77th, Bentley of the 139th, Scott of the 76th, and Jones of the 53rd

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Twanda Black; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Twanda Black has long been recognized by the citizens of this state for the role
3 that she has played as the host of "Good News Gospel," as the public affairs director for
4 KISS 104.1, and as the archive editor for GMC Atlanta; and

5 WHEREAS, she has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of her time,
6 talents, and energy toward the betterment of her community and state as further evidenced
7 by her superlative service as an ordained minister and a published writer and through her
8 volunteer work with numerous organizations; and

9 WHEREAS, Twanda is particularly passionate about improving the quality of life of the
10 elderly, with a focus on long-term care and conditions of nursing homes; and

11 WHEREAS, her significant organizational and leadership talents and keen sense of vision
12 have earned her recognition and numerous awards, including President Obama's Lifetime
13 Achievement Award and the Atlanta's Top 100 Women of Influence Award by the *Atlanta*
14 *Business*; and

15 WHEREAS, this distinguished gentlewoman has given inspiration to many through her high
16 ideals, morals, and deep concern for her fellow citizens; and

17 WHEREAS, she is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for
18 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

19 WHEREAS, Twanda has served with honor and distinction, and her vision and unyielding
20 commitment have set the standard for public service; and

21 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
22 remarkable and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
24 the members of this body recognize and commend Twanda Black for her efficient, effective,
25 unselfish, and dedicated public service to the State of Georgia and extend the most sincere
26 best wishes for continued health and happiness.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
28 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
29 Twanda Black.