

Senate Resolution 700

By: Senators James of the 35th, Karinshak of the 48th and Rhett of the 33rd

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Georgia Research Environmental Economic Network Inc.;
2 and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, founded in 2015, Georgia Research Environmental Economic Network Inc.
4 (GREEN) seeks to build sustainability through collaborative networks formed with
5 community, government, business, and other stakeholders; and

6 WHEREAS, for over three decades, the leadership of GREEN has worked with community
7 members by engaging them in environmental and social justice issues through educational
8 programming, workforce trainings, youth development initiatives, and creative outreach
9 strategies; and

10 WHEREAS, the mission of GREEN is to be an advocate for the community while
11 collaborating with businesses to address long-standing environmental and health challenges
12 and creating new opportunities for all vested community members; and

13 WHEREAS, GREEN's core concepts are to grow smarter communities, conduct independent
14 research, promote environmental and social justice, support equitable economic
15 development, network regionally, expand globally, and create technological advancements;
16 and

17 WHEREAS, GREEN has expanded its efforts globally in building relationships in West
18 Africa by establishing Georgia Africa Intervention Network; and

19 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper to recognize the importance of this
20 organization for its dedication to decreasing poverty while enriching the lives of people
21 through equitable economic development and sustainable environmental practices.

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY SENATE that the members of this body
23 recognize and commend Georgia Research Environmental Economic Network Inc. for its
24 service to the State of Georgia.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
26 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Georgia Research
27 Environmental Economic Network Inc.