

House Resolution 819

By: Representative Powell of the 32nd

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring the life and memory of Mr. Fred Pulliam and dedicating a bridge in his memory;
2 and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Mr. Fred Pulliam was recognized for the vital role that he played in leadership
4 and his deep personal commitment to the welfare of the citizens of Franklin County, Georgia;
5 and

6 WHEREAS, Mr. Pulliam's legacy and appreciation for public service came from his father,
7 Grady Pulliam, who served for many years as a justice of the peace and assisted in county
8 elections; and

9 WHEREAS, after a storied career in the poultry industry, Mr. Pulliam served as an
10 emergency medical technician for the Royston Ambulance Service from 1974 to 1979; and

11 WHEREAS, he served as a justice of the peace and became a deputy sheriff in 1979, a
12 position he held for over two decades; and

13 WHEREAS, Mr. Pulliam was a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable
14 reputation for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

15 WHEREAS, his vision and unyielding commitment to others and Franklin County set the
16 standard for public service; and

17 WHEREAS, it is fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this remarkable
18 and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized by dedicating a bridge in his
19 memory.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ENACTED BY THE GENERAL
21 ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA that the bridge on State Route 51 over the Middle Fork Broad
22 River in Franklin County is dedicated as the Fred Pulliam Memorial Bridge.

23 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Transportation is authorized and
24 directed to erect and maintain appropriate signs dedicating the Fred Pulliam Memorial
25 Bridge.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
27 and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the
28 family of Mr. Fred Pulliam and to the Department of Transportation.