

House Resolution 948

By: Representative Greene of the 151st

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Judy Bowles; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Judy Bowles has long been recognized by the citizens of this state for the vital
3 role that she has played in leadership and her deep personal commitment to the welfare of
4 the citizens of Georgia; 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 evidenced
7 dramatically by her superlative service with Keep Albany-Dougherty Beautiful (KADB); and

8 WHEREAS, during Judy's 31-year tenure with KADB, more than 1.3 million volunteers
9 gave 10.5 million hours of service and collected 3.2 million pounds of trash through the
10 organization's Stash the Trash program; and

11 WHEREAS, alongside collecting trash, she led KADB through the 500-year flood of 1994,
12 the planting of 660 25-gallon Trees of Courage on Westover Boulevard, and the procurement
13 of a grant that allowed the organization to erect welcome signs; and

14 WHEREAS, Judy's significant organizational and leadership talents, remarkable patience and
15 diplomacy, keen sense of vision, and sensitivity to the needs of the citizens of this state have
16 earned her the respect and admiration of her colleagues and associates; and

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

19 WHEREAS, Judy has served with honor and distinction with KADB, and her vision and
20 unyielding commitment to serving her community will be sorely missed upon the occasion
21 of her retirement; and

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

24 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
25 the members of this body recognize and commend Judy Bowles for her efficient, effective,
26 unselfish, and dedicated service to the State of Georgia; congratulate her upon the grand
27 occasion of her retirement; and extend the most sincere best wishes for continued health and
28 happiness.

29 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
30 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Judy
31 Bowles.