

House Resolution 1101

By: Representatives Smith of the 70th, Jenkins of the 136th, Bonner of the 73rd, Dawson of the 65th, and Glaize of the 67th

A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating and commending Sprayberry's Bar-B-Q upon the occasion of its 100th
2 anniversary; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Sprayberry's Bar-B-Q, in Coweta County, Georgia, will be celebrating the
4 100th anniversary of its founding; and

5 WHEREAS, Sprayberry's is more than just a place to eat, the beloved restaurant serves as
6 a community gathering spot, family tradition, and consistent landmark in a town that has
7 been steadily growing and changing around it; and

8 WHEREAS, founded in 1926 by Hudson Sprayberry, at just 23 years old, Sprayberry's Bar-
9 B-Q has remained in the same location since opening; and

10 WHEREAS, through the past century, Sprayberry's Bar-B-Q has grown, drawing customers
11 stopping in along Highway 29 and serving United States Military convoys through World
12 War II; and

13 WHEREAS, its reputation has also drawn well-known figures including Vice President Dan
14 Quayle, Price Philip, country music star Alan Jackson—who previously worked at the
15 restaurant, and Atlanta Braves player Dale Murphy; and

16 WHEREAS, in 2021, following 95 years of family ownership, the Sprayberry family retired,
17 entrusting Sprayberry’s Bar-B-Q to Jay Rogers, a lifetime employee of the restaurant; and

18 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the monumental anniversary of
19 Sprayberry’s Bar-B-Q be recognized.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
21 the members of this body congratulate Sprayberry’s Bar-B-Q on 100 years of dedicated
22 service, commend it for its many outstanding contributions on behalf of the citizens of
23 Georgia, and extend best wishes for its continued growth, development, and success.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
25 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
26 Sprayberry’s Bar-B-Q.