

## Senate Resolution 896

By: Senators James of the 28th, Howard of the 35th, Merritt of the 9th, Mangham of the 55th, Jackson of the 41st and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Craig Miller's life, legacy, and lasting impact on the State of  
2 Georgia's film industry; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia mourns the passing of Craig Miller, a respected leader,  
4 innovator, and advocate whose vision and dedication helped shape Georgia into one of the  
5 premier film and television production hubs in the nation; and

6 WHEREAS, raised in Columbus, Georgia, and a proud graduate of the University of  
7 Georgia, Craig Miller developed an early passion for theater and founded Craig Miller  
8 Productions in Atlanta in 1985; and

9 WHEREAS, he devoted his career to strengthening the state's creative economy and played  
10 a pivotal role in advancing policies, partnerships, and infrastructure that expanded  
11 opportunities for filmmakers, production crews, small businesses, and local communities  
12 across Georgia; and

13 WHEREAS, through his work with industry stakeholders, public officials, and economic  
14 development leaders, he championed initiatives that attracted major productions to Georgia,

15 generating thousands of jobs and billions of dollars in economic activity while elevating the  
16 state's reputation on the global stage; and

17 WHEREAS, his leadership helped cultivate a thriving ecosystem for film, television, and  
18 digital media production, supporting workforce development, fostering local talent, and  
19 ensuring that Georgia's communities benefited directly from the growth of the entertainment  
20 sector; and

21 WHEREAS, his contributions have left an indelible mark on Georgia's cultural and economic  
22 landscape, and his efforts will continue to benefit generations of Georgians who work in and  
23 are inspired by the film industry; and

24 WHEREAS, in addition to his exemplary career accomplishments, Craig Miller was  
25 cherished by his loved ones as a loyal husband, devoted father of six wonderful children, and  
26 doting grandfather of eight remarkable grandchildren; and

27 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding life and service of this  
28 remarkable Georgian be appropriately recognized and remembered.

29 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
30 join in honoring the life and memory of Craig Miller and express their deepest and most  
31 sincere regret at his passing.

32 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
33 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the family of Craig  
34 Miller.