

## House Resolution 1389

By: Representatives Gambill of the 15<sup>th</sup>, Erwin of the 32<sup>nd</sup>, Dubnik of the 29<sup>th</sup>, Wade of the 9<sup>th</sup>, Washburn of the 144<sup>th</sup>, and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing the statewide Day of Service on March 18, 2026; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, as Georgia's 2026 Teacher of the Year, Rachel Kinsaul is encouraging schools  
3 and districts across the state to engage students in meaningful service learning through a Day  
4 of Service initiative focused on community connection, real-world learning, and civic  
5 responsibility; and

6 WHEREAS, all schools are encouraged to participate in the statewide Day of Service on  
7 March 18, 2026 and

8 WHEREAS, schools are empowered to adapt the Day of Service to meet local needs in  
9 collaboration with community partners and nonprofit organizations, allowing service projects  
10 to be embedded in the existing curriculum and translating classroom skills into real-world  
11 applications; and

12 WHEREAS, examples of service activities include clearing trails at state or town parks,  
13 volunteering at food banks, walking dogs at animal shelters, playing games with nursing  
14 home residents, working in community gardens, writing letters to service members, packing  
15 hygiene kits, or organizing donation drives; and

16 WHEREAS, by centering service on authentic community needs and student learning,  
17 districts can strengthen school-community relationships while helping students develop  
18 leadership, collaboration, and civic responsibility.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
20 the members of this body commend Teacher of the Year 2026, Rachel Kinsaul, and  
21 recognize the statewide Day of Service on March 18, 2026.

22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
23 and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the  
24 public and the press.