

Senate Resolution 21

By: Senators Anderson of the 43rd, Strickland of the 17th and Jones of the 10th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing 2021 as the Newton County, Georgia, bicentennial and celebrating the 200th
2 anniversary of Newton County; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Newton County, Georgia, was created as a county and political subdivision of
4 the State of Georgia on December 24, 1821, pursuant to Local Act of the General Assembly
5 of the State of Georgia, Georgia Laws 1821, page 38; and

6 WHEREAS, the year 2021 marks the 200th year of Newton County's existence as a county
7 and political subdivision of the State of Georgia; and

8 WHEREAS, the Newton County Board of Commissioners seeks to appropriately recognize
9 and celebrate this historic 200th anniversary of the county's existence by marking the year
10 2021 as the Newton County bicentennial.

11 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
12 recognize 2021 as the bicentennial year of the creation of Newton County, Georgia, and
13 celebrate this historic anniversary in honor of the county's rich history, heritage, culture, and
14 community, and its contributions to the prosperity and welfare of the State of Georgia.

15 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
16 to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the public and the
17 press.