

Senate Resolution 224

By: Senators Miller of the 49th, Hatchett of the 50th, Ginn of the 47th, Harper of the 7th and Hickman of the 4th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring the life and memory of Captain Stanley Curtis Elrod; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Captain Stanley Curtis Elrod, a 28 year veteran of the Georgia Department of
3 Natural Resources (DNR), was tragically killed in the line of duty in September 2020; and
- 4 WHEREAS, awarded Ranger of the Year in 1999, Captain Elrod's stellar and dedicated
5 career with DNR included his membership in the Police Unity Tour and being a founding
6 member of the DNR Honor Guard, a security team member for the 1996 Olympics and the
7 G8 summit, a board member of the Outdoor Dream Foundation, and a supervisor of DNR's
8 Region 2 office in Gainesville; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Captain Elrod was a proud alumnus of Georgia Southern University and
10 Columbus State University who enjoyed hunting, fishing, coaching little league baseball, and
11 NASCAR, but most of all, he loved his wife, parents, and two boys, Levi and Luke; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Captain Elrod wore his DNR badge proudly and supported his DNR family and
13 all law enforcement agencies; and

14 WHEREAS, Commissioner Mark Williams appropriately commented on his passing, saying
15 that "he will be remembered for his selfless service and complete devotion to the safety of
16 his fellow officers, fellow Georgians, and his state's natural resources."

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
18 honor the life and memory of Captain Stanley Curtis Elrod and express their deepest and
19 most sincere regret at his passing.

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
21 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the family of
22 Captain Stanley Curtis Elrod.