

## Senate Resolution 235

By: Senators Miller of the 49th, Hatchett of the 50th, Ginn of the 47th, Gooch of the 51st and Dolezal of the 27th

## A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring the life and memory of Jackie Alderman Joseph; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, a voice for the people, Jackie Alderman Joseph passed into silence with her  
3 death in February 2021; she is revered for her family and community service throughout  
4 Northeast Georgia; and

5 WHEREAS, Jackie and her late husband, Bob, entered the radio business in Kentucky and  
6 Illinois before settling in Buford as owners of its AM radio station, where she was Georgia's  
7 first female radio engineer in 1965 and later the station's business manager and subsequent  
8 owner of three stations until her retirement in 2003; and

9 WHEREAS, Jackie was a dedicated wife and mom of two who pursued her professional  
10 career in radio and her passion to protect and sustain Lake Sidney Lanier, where they lived;  
11 and

12 WHEREAS, she was a founding member of Prince of Peace Catholic Church and the 30 year  
13 president of the renowned Lake Lanier Association, where she served with intelligence,  
14 grace, patience, and a passion for advocating for clean water, measuring shoreline growth,  
15 and promoting safe boating and water-related education opportunities as a valued public ally

16 to the Army Corps of Engineers and founder and chief promoter of the association's  
17 acclaimed annual Shore Sweep; and

18 WHEREAS, the Florida native adopted Georgia as her beloved home and advocated for  
19 causes and issues for the betterment of all Georgians' quality of life and the shared love of  
20 the outdoors.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
22 honor the life and memory of Jackie Alderman Joseph and express their deepest and most  
23 sincere regret at her passing.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
25 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the family of  
26 Jackie Alderman Joseph.