

The Senate Committee on Rules offered the following substitute to SR 186:

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the work of the Georgia Federation of Democratic Women and recognizing
2 February 23, 2023, as the Georgia Federation of Democratic Women Women in Blue Day
3 at the state capitol; and for other purposes.

4 WHEREAS, throughout history, despite hardship, exclusion, and discrimination, women
5 have strived and sacrificed for equity and equality in communities across the country; and

6 WHEREAS, standing on the shoulders of the heroines who came before them, today's
7 women and girls continue to carry forward the mission of ensuring our daughters have the
8 same opportunities as our sons; and

9 WHEREAS, women and girls continue to lead groundbreaking civil rights movements for
10 social justice and freedom so that everyone can realize the full promise of America.

11 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
12 commend the work of the Georgia Federation of Democratic Women and recognize February

13 23, 2023, as the Georgia Federation of Democratic Women Women in Blue Day at the state
14 capitol.

15 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that as we reflect on the achievements of women and girls
16 across the centuries and pay tribute to the pioneers who paved the way, let us recommit to
17 the fight and help realize the deeply American vision of a more equal society wherein every
18 person has a shot at pursuing the American dream; in doing so, we will advance economic
19 growth, our health and safety, and the security of our nation and the world.

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 Georgia
22 Federation of Democratic Women.