House Resolution 1481

By: Representatives Evans of the 89th, Draper of the 90th, Oliver of the 82nd, Tran of the 80th, Moore of the 91st, and others

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the life and memory of Amy Wald St. Pierre; and for other purposes.

WHEREAS, the State of Georgia mourns the loss of one of its most distinguished citizens with the passing of Amy Wald St. Pierre on May 3, 2023; and

WHEREAS, Amy Wald St. Pierre was born in Florida, a beloved daughter of Danny and Susie Wald; and

WHEREAS, her exemplary academic achievements included graduating with honors from Emory University and obtaining an international Master of Business Administration from Georgia State University; and

WHEREAS, she enriched her life and the lives of others through international experiences such as volunteering in a medical clinic in Uganda, teaching English in China, and studying in Europe and South America; and

WHEREAS, her professional career at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention was marked by significant contributions to global and maternal health, and during her

distinguished tenure, she drove her team to strive for excellence to achieve equity in outcomes for all pregnant and postpartum people; and

WHEREAS, a woman of extraordinary intellect and compassion, Amy Wald St. Pierre was an active member of various community and social groups as well as a wonderful ballet dancer, dog fosterer, book club member, and avid swimmer; and

WHEREAS, she was united in love and marriage to her husband, Julian, and was blessed with two remarkable children, Lydia and Louis; and

WHEREAS, she was cherished by her loved ones as an optimist who believed in doing her part to ensure that everyone received the same opportunities that she was afforded in life, most importantly a safe living environment and access to a good education; and

WHEREAS, Amy Wald St. Pierre died tragically as a result of senseless gun violence; and

WHEREAS, a compassionate and generous woman, Amy Wald St. Pierre will long be remembered for her love of family, friendship, and community and will be missed by all who had the great fortune of knowing her.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that the members of this body join in honoring the life and memory of Amy Wald St. Pierre and express their deepest and most sincere regret at her passing.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the family of Amy Wald St. Pierre.