

Senate Resolution 143

By: Senators Parent of the 44th, Wicks of the 34th and Davenport of the 17th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the Clayton County Government, the Clayton County Chamber of Commerce,
2 and the ATL Airport Chamber of Commerce and recognizing February 6, 2025, as Clayton
3 County Day at the state capitol; and for other purposes.

4 WHEREAS, Clayton County provides a supportive environment for business and industry,
5 and it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding leadership and diligence
6 demonstrated by both the Clayton County Chamber of Commerce and the ATL Airport
7 Chamber be appropriately recognized as both organizations influence growth and perpetuate
8 the thriving of this superlative county; and

9 WHEREAS, the Clayton County Chamber of Commerce, founded in 1953, is a
10 member-based nonprofit organization dedicated to promoting business growth and enhancing
11 the quality of life through economic prosperity; and

12 WHEREAS, the ATL Airport Chamber, founded over 72 years ago, is dedicated to the
13 promotion, development, and growth of business and professional activities within the airport
14 area; and

15 WHEREAS, the Clayton County Chamber of Commerce and the ATL Airport Chamber
16 unite business and professional individuals by empowering local growth, improving business
17 to business networking, and helping to strengthen our community; and

18 WHEREAS, the Clayton County Chamber of Commerce and the ATL Airport Chamber
19 continue to provide leadership and educational opportunities with their programs: Elevate
20 ATL, a leadership training academy created to develop community leaders who inspire,
21 promote, and champion the economic development of our region, and Leadership Clayton,
22 a leadership development program established in 1972 that has engaged over 975 emerging
23 and existing leaders in a ten-month program that broadens their knowledge of community
24 issues, sharpens their leadership skills, and challenges them and others to seek solutions to
25 those issues affecting our communities; and

26 WHEREAS, chamber members are invited to participate each year in the Clayton County
27 Day at the state capitol to meet with our state leaders during the legislative session, discuss
28 legislative priorities that are important to their business and the county, and see our state
29 government in action.

30 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
31 commend the Clayton County Government, the Clayton County Chamber of Commerce, and
32 the ATL Airport Chamber on their distinguished leadership and recognize February 6, 2025,
33 as Clayton County Day at the state capitol.

34 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
35 to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the Clayton County
36 Government, the Clayton County Chamber of Commerce, and the ATL Airport Chamber.