

House Resolution 473

By: Representatives Dickey of the 134th, Stinson of the 150th, Ford of the 170th, Blackmon of the 146th, Ballard of the 147th, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the Miss Georgia Peach Scholarship Pageant and congratulating the 2024
2 Georgia Peach Queens; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the peach has a long been a nationally recognized symbol for the State of
4 Georgia; and

5 WHEREAS, the Georgia peach industry has played a significant role in the economic growth
6 and prosperity of our state, and Georgia ranks third in the nation in the annual production of
7 peaches; and

8 WHEREAS, the Miss Georgia Peach Scholarship Pageant originated in Peach County,
9 Georgia, in 1982 thanks to the Pilot Club of Fort Valley, who conceived the pageant for the
10 purpose of having Ambassadors of the famous Georgia Peach Festival held in June each
11 year; and

12 WHEREAS, this annual pageant is open statewide to girls 4 to 24 for the purpose of building
13 self-confidence while acknowledging those who make a positive contribution to the
14 community; and

15 WHEREAS, in connection with this celebration, five very fine young ladies were crowned
16 as the 2024 Peach Queens, including Miss Georgia Peach, Charleigh Harper; Teen Miss
17 Georgia Peach, Mia Loyd; Junior Miss Georgia Peach, Kendall Bella Gaines; Little Miss
18 Georgia Peach, Skye Harris; and Tiny Miss Georgia Peach, Ellie James Young; and

19 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that this festival and its representatives be
20 recognized by this body.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
22 the members of this body commend the Miss Georgia Peach Scholarship Pageant for
23 promoting the importance of this agricultural product of Georgia and congratulate the 2024
24 Georgia Peach Queens.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
26 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the
27 Board of Directors of the Miss Georgia Peach Scholarship Pageant.