

House Resolution 674

By: Representatives Bazemore of the 69th, Hugley of the 141st, Bennett of the 94th, Miller of the 62nd, and Jackson of the 68th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Reverend Dr. William Holmes Robinson on the occasion of
2 his 13th pastoral anniversary; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Reverend Dr. William Holmes Robinson has demonstrated his commitment to
4 teaching the Gospel, witnessing Christ through word and deed, and addressing the physical,
5 psychological, intellectual, and spiritual needs of others; and

6 WHEREAS, Reverend Dr. William Holmes Robinson was called by the Lord 13 years ago
7 to lead the congregation of The Olivet Church as its pastor, where he has since served with
8 faith, wisdom, and a heart for ministry; and

9 WHEREAS, under his leadership, The Olivet Church has experienced remarkable growth,
10 including the successful launch of the "Let Us Rise Up and Build" Lifestyle Stewardship
11 Capital Campaign, which resulted in the construction and dedication of a new Worship and
12 Services Center on August 25, 2018; and

13 WHEREAS, Reverend Dr. William Holmes Robinson has worked tirelessly to expand the
14 church's reach, deepen its impact, and minister to the needs of the congregation and the
15 surrounding community; and

16 WHEREAS, beyond his pastoral duties, he serves as chaplain for the Fulton and DeKalb
17 County sheriff's offices and Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity Inc., and he has previously served
18 on the Board of Trustees for the Progressive National Baptist Convention; and

19 WHEREAS, whether the task is preparing a sermon, visiting the sick, counseling the
20 troubled, baptizing a new believer, or acting as a theologian, educator, administrator, or
21 humanitarian, Reverend Dr. William Holmes Robinson has shown the energy, devotion, and
22 commitment truly reflective of divine guidance; and

23 WHEREAS, the unmatched spiritual assistance offered by Reverend Dr. William Holmes
24 Robinson is a source of strength and direction for persons in all walks of life; and

25 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper to recognize the outstanding accomplishments
26 of the dynamic Christian ministry of this devout and pious man.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
28 the members of this body recognize and commend Reverend Dr. William Holmes Robinson
29 on the wonderful occasion of his 13th pastoral anniversary and extend best wishes for many
30 more years of successful fellowship and leadership.

31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
32 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
33 Reverend Dr. William Holmes Robinson.