

House Resolution 970

By: Representatives Cummings of the 39th, Campbell of the 35th, Wilkerson of the 38th, McQueen of the 61st, Sanchez of the 42nd, and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Jerrica Richardson; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Jerrica Richardson has long been recognized by the citizens of this state for the
3 vital role that she has played in leadership and her deep personal commitment to the welfare
4 of the citizens of Georgia; and
- 5 WHEREAS, she has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of her time,
6 talents, and energy toward the betterment of her community and state as evidenced
7 dramatically by her superlative service with the Cobb County Board of Commissioners; and
- 8 WHEREAS, in 2020, she made history when she was the first African American elected to
9 serve District 2 on the Cobb County Board of Commissioners; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Jerrica served with honor and distinction with the Cobb County Board of
11 Commissioners until she was targeted politically and drawn out of her district prior to the
12 completion of her term; and

13 WHEREAS, her significant organizational and leadership talents, remarkable patience and
14 diplomacy, keen sense of vision, and sensitivity to the needs of the citizens of this state have
15 earned her respect and admiration; and

16 WHEREAS, she is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for
17 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

18 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that this remarkable and distinguished
19 Georgian is appropriately honored.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
21 the members of this body recognize and commend Jerrica Richardson for her efficient,
22 effective, unselfish, and dedicated public service to the State of Georgia and extend the most
23 sincere best wishes for continued health and happiness.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
25 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
26 Jerrica Richardson.