

House Resolution 1065

By: Representatives Crowe of the 118th, McDonald III of the 26th, New of the 40th, Cannon of the 172nd, Clifton of the 131st, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing February 11, 2026, as Police Chiefs and Heads of Law Enforcement Agencies
2 Recognition Day at the Capitol; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, in the State of Georgia, there are more than 700 police chiefs and heads of law
4 enforcement agencies who provide a critical service, managing approximately 45,000 sworn
5 peace officers; and

6 WHEREAS, the Georgia Association of Chiefs of Police is an organization of honorable men
7 and women dedicated to the preservation of life and property of Georgia citizens in a
8 professional and ethical manner; and

9 WHEREAS, these brave law enforcement leaders provide public service above and beyond
10 the call of duty, often at great personal risk and tremendous sacrifice not only of themselves,
11 but also of their families; and

12 WHEREAS, from the time of their initial police chief's training provided by the Georgia
13 Association of Chiefs of Police and throughout their careers, each member has demonstrated
14 continuous loyalty to the call to serve and has combined and increased their public safety
15 effectiveness through cooperation with state, county, and local governmental officials; and

16 WHEREAS, police chiefs and heads of law enforcement agencies of Georgia support the
17 continuous elevation of standards and training of law enforcement managers and have been
18 instrumental in increasing the public's awareness of methods for avoiding being victims of
19 crime; and

20 WHEREAS, it is only fitting and proper that the police chiefs and heads of law enforcement
21 agencies of Georgia be recognized for their many personal sacrifices as well as their
22 outstanding and courageous contributions to the citizens of this state.

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
24 the members of this body recognize February 11, 2026, as Police Chiefs and Heads of Law
25 Enforcement Agencies Day at the State Capitol and commend each police chief and head of
26 a law enforcement agency in this state for his or her outstanding commitment to the people
27 of this state.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
29 and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to Police
30 Chief Anita Allen, President of the Georgia Association of Chiefs of Police, and A. A. Butch
31 Ayers, Executive Director of the Georgia Association of Chiefs of Police.