

House Resolution 1258

By: Representatives Baker of the 64th, McQueen of the 61st, Alexander of the 66th, New of the 40th, and Berry of the 56th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Dr. Latoya Thomas, the Douglas County School System 2025-2026 Teacher
2 of the Year; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, a proper quality education for the young people of this state is the single most
4 important objective of the General Assembly; and

5 WHEREAS, nothing is more vital to the future of our state than the education of our young
6 people, and Dr. Latoya Thomas exemplifies the selfless dedication that is characteristic of
7 our finest teachers; and

8 WHEREAS, Dr. Latoya Thomas is a highly praised Information Technology teacher at
9 Manchester High School, tirelessly directing an extraordinary amount of time and talent
10 toward guiding students to a brighter future; and

11 WHEREAS, Dr. Latoya Thomas has earned distinction and numerous awards for teaching
12 excellence as a result of her dedication to her students and her profession and has been
13 honored as the Douglas County School System 2025-2026 Teacher of the Year, the 2024
14 Georgia Business Education Association Teacher of the Year, and the 2021 FBLA New
15 Teacher of the Year; and

16 WHEREAS, in recognition of such remarkable contributions to the education and welfare
17 of Georgia's students, it is abundantly fitting and proper for this body to honor the
18 extraordinary accomplishments and academic achievements of this outstanding educator.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
20 the members of this body commend Dr. Latoya Thomas, the Douglas County School System
21 2025-2026 Teacher of the Year, and express their most sincere best wishes for continued
22 success.

23 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
24 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Dr.
25 Latoya Thomas.