

Senate Resolution 772

By: Senators Harbin of the 16th, Gooch of the 51st, Watson of the 11th, Anderson of the 24th, Bearden of the 30th and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing Sheriff Randall Johnson and dedicating an intersection in his honor; and for
2 other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Sheriff Randall Johnson ably served and protected the citizens of this state as
4 Fayette County Sheriff with an exceptional career in law enforcement that spanned nearly
5 49 years; and

6 WHEREAS, born in Fayette County on October 13, 1940, and a graduate of Fayette County
7 High School, Sheriff Johnson began his law enforcement career in 1959, when he was sworn
8 in as a Fayette County Deputy Sheriff; and

9 WHEREAS, in 1961, he went to work for the State of Georgia working at the Capitol in
10 Atlanta, before joining the Georgia Department of Revenue's Division of Alcohol and
11 Tobacco as a special agent two years later; and

12 WHEREAS, in 1976, he was elected the twenty-third Sheriff of Fayette County and was
13 successfully reelected by the citizens of Fayette County for eight terms; and

14 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that this remarkable and distinguished
15 Georgian be appropriately recognized by dedicating an intersection in his honor.

16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ENACTED BY THE GENERAL
17 ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA that the intersection of State Route 92 and Westbridge Road
18 in Fayette County is dedicated as the Sheriff Randall Johnson Intersection.

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Transportation is authorized and
20 directed to erect and maintain appropriate signs dedicating the Sheriff Randall Johnson
21 Intersection.

22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
23 to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to Sheriff Randall
24 Johnson and to the Department of Transportation.