

House Resolution 1401

By: Representative Moore of the 91st

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Reverend Dr. Jamal-Harrison Bryant; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Reverend Dr. Jamal-Harrison Bryant has long been recognized by the citizens
3 of this state for the vital role that he has played in leadership and his deep personal
4 commitment to the welfare of the citizens of Georgia; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Rev. Dr. Bryant is one of the nation's most dynamic and justice-driven faith
6 leaders, shaped by the frontlines of civil rights organizing, grassroots mobilization, and
7 unwavering advocacy for marginalized communities; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Rev. Dr. Bryant's ministry reflects a core belief the faith must be an instrument
9 of liberation and systemic change; and
- 10 WHEREAS, a visionary, civil rights activist, Presidential Lifetime Achievement Award
11 recipient, and contributor to two Grammy Awards for his spoken-word performance on The
12 Urban Hymnal, Rev. Dr. Bryant Bryant has served as Senior Pastor of New Birth Missionary
13 Baptist Church in Stonecrest, Georgia, since 2018; and

14 WHEREAS, most recently, Dr. Bryant has emerged as a leading voice in economic justice
15 through his leadership of the TargetFAST movement and Target Boycott, one of the most
16 significant Black-led consumer justice campaigns in decades; and

17 WHEREAS, his strategy calls for equitable corporate practices, accountability, and respect
18 for Black buying power, continuing the legacy of economic nonviolence championed by Dr.
19 King and other civil rights architects; and

20 WHEREAS, he is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for
21 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

22 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
23 remarkable and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

24 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
25 the members of this body recognize and commend Reverend Dr. Jamal-Harrison Bryant for
26 his efficient, effective, unselfish, and dedicated service to the State of Georgia and extend
27 the most sincere best wishes for continued health and happiness.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
29 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
30 Reverend Dr. Jamal-Harrison Bryant.