

House Resolution 1769

By: Representatives Williamson of the 112th, Burns of the 159th, Parsons of the 44th, Thomas of the 21st, Leverett of the 123rd, and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Kevin F. Curtin upon his retirement; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Kevin F. Curtin serves as the Senior Vice President of Government Relations
3 for Georgia EMC, representing Georgia's 41 electric membership cooperatives and will retire
4 in July 2026 after over 30 years of experience in government relations; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Kevin began his government relations career in 1993, serving as Chief of Staff
6 to former Insurance Commissioner Tim Ryles before holding roles with Blue Cross & Blue
7 Shield of Georgia, the Alliance of American Insurers, the Georgia Association of Health
8 Plans, and AT&T; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Kevin spent over 22 years with AT&T rising to Assistant Vice President of
10 Legislative Affairs and shepherding the passage of numerous significant pieces of legislation
11 impacting the telecom industry; and
- 12 WHEREAS, in 2021, he joined Georgia EMC as Senior Vice President of Government
13 Relations leading efforts to ensure that Georgia maintains sound energy policies and
14 shepherding the passage of legislation aimed at protecting the state's utility infrastructure and
15 the men and women that work to maintain them; and

16 WHEREAS, Kevin is an active member of the Executive Committee of the board of directors
17 of the Georgia Chamber of Commerce, where he has also held positions as the chair of the
18 Chamber's Political Affairs Council, chairman of the Chamber's Government Affairs Council
19 and chairman of the Technology Association of Georgia's Governmental Relations Task
20 Force; and

21 WHEREAS, Kevin in is a graduate of Leadership Savannah's Class of 2002, Leadership
22 Georgia's Class of 2003, and earned a spot on Georgia Trend Magazine's list of "40 Under
23 40" in 2003; and

24 WHEREAS, Kevin Curtin earned a bachelor's degree from the University of Georgia's Terry
25 College of Business and a master's degree from Georgia State University's J. Mack Robinson
26 College of Business; and

27 WHEREAS, Kevin is married to Julie Curtin and has two daughters Meaghan and Hannah;
28 and

29 WHEREAS, Kevin is a loyal Georgia Bulldog fan who exemplifies Coach Kirby Smart's
30 philosophy that you are "either elite or not"; and

31 WHEREAS, it is most fitting and proper that Kevin Curtin be recognized for his effective
32 and dedicated service to the people and business industry of the State of Georgia.

33 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
34 the members of this body recognize and commend Kevin F. Curtin for his exemplary service
35 to the state of Georgia, congratulate him upon the grand occasion of his retirement, and
36 extend best wishes for continued health and happiness.

37 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
38 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Kevin
39 F. Curtin.