

## House Resolution 1850

By: Representatives Gilliard of the 162<sup>nd</sup>, Reese of the 140<sup>th</sup>, Holly of the 116<sup>th</sup>, Adeyina of the 110<sup>th</sup>, McClain of the 109<sup>th</sup>, and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Marcus Arbery Sr., author of *Where's Daddy: The Ahmaud Arbery Story*; and  
2 for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Marcus Arbery Sr. has dedicated innumerable hours of his time and energy  
4 toward the national fight for justice, upholding the legacy of his son, Ahmaud Arbery, and  
5 encouraging communities across the United States to work toward unity; and

6 WHEREAS, in the six years since his son was murdered while jogging near Brunswick,  
7 Georgia, Marcus Arbery Sr. has become a prominent voice calling for accountability, racial  
8 justice, and community healing; and

9 WHEREAS, in his new book, *Where's Daddy: The Ahmaud Arbery Story*, he honors the life  
10 and memory of Ahmaud and speaks directly to hurting fathers and families, reminding us of  
11 the faith and sacrifice inherent to parenthood; and

12 WHEREAS, the book further demonstrates the love, strength, and responsibility that a father  
13 carries for his children as well as challenges the current perception of men and Black fathers;  
14 and

15 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that Marcus Arbery Sr. be appropriately  
16 honored by this body.

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
18 the members of this body commend Marcus Arbery Sr. upon the release of his book, *Where's*  
19 *Daddy: The Ahmaud Arbery Story*, and extend best wishes for future success.

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
21 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to  
22 Marcus Arbery Sr.