

House Resolution 1890

By: Representative Taylor of the 92nd

A RESOLUTION

1 Urging the Rockdale County Board of Commissioners to exercise the power given to them
2 under current law and appoint members to the vacant seats on the Rockdale County Water
3 and Sewerage Authority, including any seats held by holdover members; and for other
4 purposes.

5 WHEREAS, an Act to create the Rockdale County Water and Sewerage Authority (Ga. L.
6 1995, p. 3994) provides that such authority shall be governed by a seven member board to
7 be appointed by the Rockdale County Board of Commissioners; and

8 WHEREAS, for a number of years the Rockdale County Board of Commissioners has failed
9 to appoint members to the Rockdale County Water and Sewerage Authority following the
10 expiration of the terms of prior authority members; and

11 WHEREAS, the failure to appoint new members has left some of the authority's seats vacant
12 and left other seats occupied by holdover members for years beyond the expiration of their
13 original terms; and

14 WHEREAS, the Rockdale County Board of Commissioner's failure to keep the authority's
15 board filled with current appointees has created great confusion and potential legal liability
16 for the authority and the county; and

17 WHEREAS, the citizens of Rockdale County deserve to be fully represented by current
18 appointees to the Rockdale County Water and Sewerage Authority's board.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
20 the members of this body urge the Rockdale County Board of Commissioners to exercise the
21 power given to them under current law and appoint members to the vacant seats on the
22 Rockdale County Water and Sewerage Authority, including any seats held by holdover
23 members.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
25 and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the
26 Rockdale County Board of Commissioners.