

House Resolution 2082

By: Representative Scott of the 76th

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring the life and legacy of Mrs. Thelma Crawford Scott; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Mrs. Thelma Crawford Scott was born on August 28, 1928, in Wilmot,
3 Arkansas, to the late Theo Crawford and Bessie Holmes, and she lived a life defined by faith,
4 love, and unwavering devotion to her family and community; and

5 WHEREAS, at an early age, she accepted Christ and was baptized at Zion Hill Baptist
6 Church in Camden, Arkansas, establishing a strong spiritual foundation that guided her
7 throughout her life; and

8 WHEREAS, Mrs. Scott was united in holy matrimony to her beloved husband, Elbert Scott,
9 and together they built a strong and loving family, raising six children and instilling in them
10 the values of faith, perseverance, and compassion; and

11 WHEREAS, she was known for her warm and infectious smile, her welcoming spirit, and
12 her ability to make everyone she encountered feel loved and valued, leaving a lasting
13 impression on all who knew her; and

14 WHEREAS, Mrs. Scott was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Elbert Scott; her
15 children, Marie Atkins, Elbert Scott Jr., and Jerry Scott; her grandchildren, Tim Mitchell and
16 Maleek Scott; and her brothers, L.C. White and James White; and

17 WHEREAS, she leaves behind a legacy of love and cherished memories through her devoted
18 family, including her sons, Edward Scott (Sandra), John Scott, and Rickey Scott (Mickie);
19 her daughter, Doris Mitchell; her sister, Doris White; her brother, Bobby White; as well as
20 a host of grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, relatives, and friends who will
21 forever honor her life and legacy; and

22 WHEREAS, Mrs. Thelma Crawford Scott transitioned peacefully to her eternal home on
23 November 14, 2021, after a courageous life well lived, leaving behind a legacy of strength,
24 grace, and unconditional love; and

25 WHEREAS, her life stands as a testament to faith, family, and service, and her impact will
26 continue to inspire generations to come.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
28 the members of this body honor and celebrate the life of Mrs. Thelma Crawford Scott and
29 extend their deepest sympathy to her family and loved ones.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
31 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the
32 family of Mrs. Thelma Crawford Scott.