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House Resolution 1002

By: Representative Gambill of the 15<sup>th</sup>

## **A RESOLUTION**

- 1 Commending and congratulating Frederic Alan "Fred" Harris; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Frederic Alan "Fred" Harris was born on March 4, 1934, in Cartersville,
- 3 Georgia, and this year he enjoys the rare distinction of celebrating his 90th birthday; and
- 4 WHEREAS, the devotion, patience, and understanding he has demonstrated have provided
- 5 the foundation of success from which his family members have developed and flourished for
- 6 three generations as evidenced by his three wonderful children, eight outstanding
- 7 grandchildren, and two exceptional great-grandchildren; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Frederic Alan "Fred" Harris served as a guardian of this nation's freedom and
- 9 liberty with the United States Army, valiantly and courageously protecting his fellow
- 10 Americans for two years, before receiving an honorable discharge; and
- WHEREAS, this distinguished gentleman has given inspiration to many through his high
- 12 ideals, morals, and deep concern for his fellow citizens; and as president of the Cartersville
- 13 Rotary Club, he brings a spirit of service to the many charitable endeavors in which the club
- 14 is involved; and

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15 WHEREAS, Frederic Alan "Fred" Harris possesses the vast wisdom which only comes

- 16 through experience and the strength of character which is achieved through overcoming the
- 17 many challenges of life; and
- 18 WHEREAS, a resident Cartersville, Georgia, and president of the Cartersville-Bartow
- 19 County Chamber of Commerce, he is a person of magnanimous strengths with an
- 20 unimpeachable reputation for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and
- 21 WHEREAS, a kind and generous person, Frederic Alan "Fred" Harris brings joy and
- 22 happiness to his family and to the many friends and neighbors who have the great pleasure
- 23 of knowing him; and
- 24 WHEREAS, he has witnessed a dramatic change in the world over the course of his lifetime
- and we salute his contribution to its progress through his tireless efforts on behalf of his
- 26 community and state; and
- 27 WHEREAS, by the example Frederic Alan "Fred" Harris has made of his life, he makes this
- 28 world a better place in which to live, and it is only fitting and proper that he be appropriately
- 29 recognized during this very special and memorable time.
- 30 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 31 the members of this body commend Frederic Alan "Fred" Harris for his unselfish, dedicated,
- 32 and loving service to the members of his family and community; congratulate him on the
- remarkable occasion of his 90th birthday; and extend their most sincere best wishes for
- 34 continued health and happiness.

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35 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized

- 36 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
- 37 Frederic Alan "Fred" Harris.