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House Resolution 1055

By: Representatives Carson of the 46th and Knight of the 130th

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Julian I. Deal, CPA; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Julian I. Deal has a long and consistent record of service to the community and
- 3 this state and has been recognized as one of the most dynamic and committed CPAs in
- 4 Georgia; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Julian was appointed to the Georgia State Board of Accountancy in 2011 by
- 6 Governor Nathan Deal and served until 2021; and
- 7 WHEREAS, he successfully navigated the Georgia State Board of Accountancy through
- 8 many key changes, including the transition of the board from the Secretary of State's office
- 9 to the State Accounting Office; hired the board's very first staff members; doubled the
- 10 individual and firm renewal fees; and passed rules and regulations to place the board in a
- better position to protect the public and the CPA profession; and
- 12 WHEREAS, this remarkable CPA has established a glowing reputation of renown throughout
- 13 Georgia for his dedication and high ideals; and

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14 WHEREAS, Julian has been dedicated to providing continuing innovation in the industry and

- 15 remains steadfastly committed to the principles of skill, integrity, and responsibility; and
- 16 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
- 17 extraordinary CPA be appropriately recognized.
- 18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 19 the members of this body recognize and commend Julian I. Deal for his contribution to the
- 20 CPA profession through his service with the Georgia State Board of Accountancy.
- 21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
- 23 Julian I. Deal.