

House Resolution 1083

By: Representatives Ballinger of the 23rd, McDonald of the 26th, and Jasperse of the 11th

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring the life of Mr. Loy James Grogan and dedicating an intersection in his memory;
2 and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Mr. Loy James Grogan has long been recognized by the citizens of this state
4 for the vital role that he played in his local community and his deep personal commitment
5 to the welfare of others; and

6 WHEREAS, Mr. Grogan operated a successful local business, Loy Grogan's Groceries, in
7 Forsyth County, Georgia, for over 50 years; and

8 WHEREAS, Loy Grogan's Groceries was a gathering place for members of the community
9 and remains in the hearts and minds of many residents today; and

10 WHEREAS, Mr. Grogan also diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of
11 his time, talents, and energy as a farmer, tending to his animals with respect and care; and

12 WHEREAS, he gave inspiration to many through his high ideals, morals, and deep concern
13 for his fellow citizens, and the devotion, patience, and understanding he demonstrated to his
14 family and friends were admired by others; and

15 WHEREAS, he was a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation
16 for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness, and by the example he made of his life, he
17 made this world a better place in which to live; and

18 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that this remarkable and distinguished
19 Georgian be recognized appropriately by dedicating an intersection in his memory.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ENACTED BY THE GENERAL
21 ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA that the intersection of State Route 369 and Bannister Road in
22 Forsyth County is dedicated as the Loy James Grogan Memorial Intersection.

23 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Transportation is authorized and
24 directed to erect and maintain appropriate signs dedicating the Loy James Grogan Memorial
25 Intersection.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
27 to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the family of Mr.
28 Loy James Grogan and the Department of Transportation.