

## House Resolution 109

By: Representatives Jasperse of the 11<sup>th</sup>, Smith of the 134<sup>th</sup>, Allison of the 8<sup>th</sup>, Harden of the 148<sup>th</sup>, Kelley of the 16<sup>th</sup>, and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing the 4-H Clubs of Georgia and inviting Ms. Tifara Brown, Mr. Arch D. Smith,  
2 and the 2012-2013 4-H Leadership Team to be recognized by the House of Representatives;  
3 and for other purposes.

4 WHEREAS, Ms. Tifara Brown of Ben Hill County serves with distinction and dedication as  
5 State 4-H President; and

6 WHEREAS, Mr. Arch D. Smith of the University of Georgia Cooperative Extension and  
7 State 4-H Leader has worked diligently with the 4-H Clubs throughout Georgia; and

8 WHEREAS, Maya Mapp of Baldwin County, Whitney Kirkpatrick of Coweta County,  
9 Rachael Allen of Johnson County, and Blake Allen of Lowndes County have demonstrated  
10 tremendous leadership as district presidents and have been acknowledged by the 4-H  
11 membership in their election of each of these young people for the 2012-2013 term; and

12 WHEREAS, the excellent record of accomplishments in citizenship and leadership of  
13 Whitney Kirkpatrick of Coweta County, Savannah Lockman of Oconee County, Emily Tyus  
14 of Bleckley County, and Juawn Jackson of Bibb County were recognized in Washington,  
15 D.C., at the 2012 National 4-H Conference; and

16 WHEREAS, Kevin Morris of Chatham County and Mary Clayton Gilbert of Bartow County  
17 were named 2012 Leadership in Action winners; and

18 WHEREAS, Savannah Lockman of Oconee County, Garrett Hibbs of Oconee County, Tess  
19 Hammock of Monroe County, Conor Dunn of Tift County, and Crystal Buckingham of  
20 Pickens County were named state winners in the 2012 Dean's Awards competition; and

21 WHEREAS, the Bartow County National Consumer Decisions Contest composed of Eli  
22 DeBroux, Mary Clayton Gilbert, Emily Velazquez, and Colyn White won the 2012 National  
23 Consumer Decisions Contest in Denver, Colorado; and

24 WHEREAS, 4-H members consistently demonstrate the ability and leadership necessary to  
25 be champions and serve as outstanding representatives and officers of the young people of  
26 Georgia.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
28 the members of this body recognize and commend the University of Georgia College of  
29 Agricultural and Environmental Sciences 4-H Program, Ms. Tifara Brown, Mr. Arch D.  
30 Smith, and each of the 4-H leaders and members named in this resolution and invite them to  
31 be recognized by the House of Representatives at a date and time to be determined by the  
32 Speaker of the House.

33 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
34 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the University of Georgia  
35 Cooperative Extension.