

House Resolution 1126

By: Representatives Benton of the 31st, Greene of the 151st, Frye of the 118th, Bentley of the 139th, and Erwin of the 28th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending the Employees' Retirement System of Georgia on the grand
2 occasion of its 70th anniversary; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Employees' Retirement System of Georgia (ERSGA) was established on
4 January 1, 1950, by an Act of the Georgia General Assembly to provide retirement benefits
5 for all state employees and is governed by a seven-member board of trustees; and

6 WHEREAS, as of January 2020, ERSGA pension plans serve over 108,000 active members
7 and 72,000 retirees and beneficiaries from over 700 employers around the state; and

8 WHEREAS, through their mission to be the guardian of the State of Georgia's retirement
9 plans, ERSGA employees strive to best serve the retirement needs of current and retired state
10 employees; and

11 WHEREAS, ERSGA demonstrates an unwavering commitment to integrity, operational
12 excellence, and customer service to deliver accurate and timely retirement benefits; and

13 WHEREAS, ERSGA also demonstrates leadership with legislative issues, continuous
14 improvement through the areas of data security and communications, and innovation with
15 process improvements to best serve the retirement needs of current and future members; and

16 WHEREAS, ERSGA promotes retirement education to enhance the lives of Georgia's
17 dedicated state employees and to promote a dignified retirement for members, retirees, and
18 their beneficiaries; and

19 WHEREAS, this remarkable organization has established a glowing reputation of renown
20 throughout Georgia for its ability to accommodate changes in retirement service, and it
21 continues to meet the diversified needs of its members with efficient and professional
22 service; and

23 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
24 extraordinary organization be appropriately recognized.

25 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
26 the members of this body recognize and commend the Employees' Retirement System of
27 Georgia on the grand occasion of its 70th anniversary.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
29 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the
30 Employees' Retirement System of Georgia.