

House Resolution 1126

By: Representatives Stinson of the 150th, Reese of the 140th, Holly of the 116th, Paris of the 142nd, and Cheokas of the 151st

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing the 120th anniversary of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Butler Lodge #226;
2 and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Butler Lodge #226 is celebrating its 120th
4 anniversary; and

5 WHEREAS, on June 19, 1903, the Most Worshipful Grandmaster Honorable H.R. Butler
6 issued a dispensation to set up a lodge at Butler, Taylor County, Georgia, and Brother George
7 A. Williams was appointed Worshipful Master; and

8 WHEREAS, this fine organization is dedicated to serving the Taylor County community by
9 awarding scholarships to graduating high-school seniors, supporting the local school system,
10 and helping numerous distressed senior citizens and veterans and with the creation of a new
11 youth program this year, the group is expanding its service to make an even bigger impact;
12 and

13 WHEREAS, February 26 is 226 Day, a day of service recognition and celebration, mainly
14 created to show appreciation to past leadership, brothers of the lodge, organizations and
15 churches, and citizens who serve the community of Taylor County; and

16 WHEREAS, this body of work has earned the lodge the high honor of being named 2023
17 Lodge of the Year and 2023 Worshipful Master of the Year, Harold McCrary, Jr.; and

18 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
19 remarkable and distinguished entity be appropriately recognized.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
21 the members of this body recognize and commend the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Butler
22 Lodge #226 and thank it for its efforts of behalf of its community and state and offer
23 congratulations on the momentous occasion of its 120th anniversary.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
25 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the
26 Most Worshipful Prince Hall Butler Lodge #226.