

House Resolution 1132

By: Representative Hatchett of the 150th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Pearl Whitlock upon the grand occasion of her 50th
2 anniversary as an educator; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Pearl Whitlock has long been recognized by the citizens of this state for the
4 vital role that she has played in education and her deep personal commitment to the welfare
5 of the citizens of Georgia; and

6 WHEREAS, she has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of her time,
7 talents, and energy toward the betterment of her community and state, as evidenced
8 dramatically by her superlative service for 50 years as a faculty member of Dublin High
9 School; and

10 WHEREAS, Pearl began her tenure at Dublin High School in 1969 and has held numerous
11 positions during her time, such as teacher, coach, SAT administrator, and ticket booth
12 attendant at athletic games; and

13 WHEREAS, Pearl has worked closely and diligently with the students of Dublin High School
14 as a mentor and role model for success, as made apparent by her work in coaching her tennis
15 teams to 17 regional titles and one state crown from 1970 through 1999; these are some of
16 the many stunning accomplishments that compose her amazing record of dedicated and
17 cherished service; and

18 WHEREAS, originally from Macon, Georgia, this remarkable member of the community
19 grew up in Payne Mill Village; and her commitment to the well-being and happiness of her
20 students, peers, and loved ones is a shining tribute to the spirit of service taught and practiced
21 by her mother; and

22 WHEREAS, Pearl Whitlock has served with Dublin High School with honor and distinction,
23 and her inspiring presence and unyielding commitment to her students will be sorely missed
24 upon the occasion of her retirement at the end of this school year; and

25 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
26 remarkable and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
28 the members of this body recognize and commend Pearl Whitlock for her dedication to
29 excellence in education and congratulate her upon the grand occasion of her 50th anniversary
30 as an educator at Dublin High School.

31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
32 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Pearl
33 Whitlock.