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House Resolution 1163

By: Representatives Carter of the 92nd, Hugley of the 136th, Bennett of the 94th, Jones of the 53rd, Gonzalez of the 117th, and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing the month of March as Women's History Month and March 19th as Georgia's
- 2 Celebrating Women in Public Office Day; and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, Women's History Month celebrates the significant contributions that women
- 4 of all races, ethnicities, and backgrounds have made; and
- 5 WHEREAS, women play a critical role in the vitality and diversity of our communities, and
- 6 are an essential part in ensuring that states are well represented; and
- 7 WHEREAS, while the twentieth century proved to be a pivotal time for women wishing to
- 8 enter politics, women still remain underrepresented in male dominated fields; and
- 9 WHEREAS, it is imperative that more opportunities are provided in order to support women
- in public office, and that awareness is brought to the fundamental necessity of their work.
- 11 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 12 the members of this body recognize the month of March as Women's History Month and
- 13 March 19th as Georgia's Celebrating Women in Public Office Day.
- 14 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the
- 16 public and the press.