

House Resolution 1295

By: Representative Rakestraw of the 19th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing Mr. L. Douglas Griffith and dedicating a road in his honor; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Mr. L. Douglas Griffith has lived in his home on Georgia Highway 92 in
4 Paulding County since his parents, Lemon Gray and Mable Clara Annie Grogan Griffith,
5 purchased it on September 4, 1944, when he was just nine months old; and

6 WHEREAS, Mr. Griffith has long been recognized by his neighbors in Crossroads, Georgia,
7 for his leadership and his deep personal commitment to the welfare of the citizens of
8 Georgia; and

9 WHEREAS, his vision and guidance have been instrumental to numerous local
10 organizations, including Citizens to Save Paulding County, the Paulding County
11 Archaeology Association, the Paulding County Historical Society, and the county's
12 Sesquicentennial Committee; and

13 WHEREAS, a man of deep and abiding faith, Mr. Griffith is a faithful member of Crossroads
14 Baptist Church of Christ and has served as a delegate to the First District Union Meeting of
15 the New Hope Baptist Association; and

16 WHEREAS, he has tirelessly worked to keep Georgia Highway 92 clean and in a state of
17 safe repair for the traveling public; and

18 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that this remarkable and distinguished
19 Georgian be recognized appropriately by dedicating a road in his honor.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ENACTED BY THE GENERAL
21 ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA that the one-mile portion of Highway 92 heading north from
22 Due West Road in Paulding County is dedicated as the L. Douglas Griffith Highway.

23 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Transportation is authorized and
24 directed to erect and maintain appropriate signs dedicating the L. Douglas Griffith Highway.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
26 and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to Mr.
27 L. Douglas Griffith and to the Department of Transportation.