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House Resolution 1312

By: Representative Powell of the 171st

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending Chief Nealie M. McCormick, Jr.; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Chief Nealie M. McCormick, Jr., has served with honor and distinction as the
- 3 Chief of Police of Pelham, Georgia, for 40 years; and
- 4 WHEREAS, he is an honest and dedicated public servant who strives for excellence in all
- 5 of his endeavors, and whose primary concern is the welfare and safety of the citizens of
- 6 Pelham, Georgia; and
- 7 WHEREAS, he is highly regarded by the citizens of his community and by state and local
- 8 government officials as a man of unquestioned integrity and dedication to the administration
- 9 of justice and sound principles of law enforcement; and
- 10 WHEREAS, this spirited law enforcement professional has exhibited extraordinary devotion
- 11 to duty, outstanding loyalty, fine leadership, and meticulous attention to detail in all of his
- 12 duties; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Chief McCormick's efficient and effective commitment to excellence has been
- 14 recognized by his peers through the many honors he has received, including his being
- 15 appointed by Governor Nathan Deal to represent the State of Georgia at the 68th Annual
- 16 Conference of the Governors' Interstate Indian Council, where he was elected as the
- 17 organization's nation-wide president; being appointed to the Georgia Supreme Court
- 18 Committee on Justice for Children; and being selected by the Georgia International Law
- 19 Enforcement Exchange Selection Committee in 2018 to become a member of the 26th
- 20 delegation of United States law enforcement executives to train alongside the Israeli police
- 21 force; and

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WHEREAS, his inspiring commitment to the welfare of others is an outstanding example of

- 23 the positive effect law enforcement professionals have on the lives and well-being of others;
- 24 and
- 25 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that gratitude is expressed for the unique and
- often unheralded contributions of law enforcement professionals on behalf of the citizens of
- 27 this state.
- 28 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 29 the members of this body commend the care, courage, sympathy, and selfless dedication
- 30 exhibited by Chief Nealie M. McCormick, Jr., in carrying out the difficult duties of his
- 31 vocation and express their utmost appreciation for having so purely and truly defined for
- 32 others what it means to be a public servant.
- 33 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 34 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Chief
- 35 Nealie M. McCormick, Jr.