

## House Resolution 1445

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## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing December 1, 2018, as Mrs. Rosa L. Parks Day at the state capitol; and for other  
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Mrs. Rosa L. Parks Day is a day in which citizens are encouraged to devote a  
4 portion of their time toward commemorating the accomplishments of Rosa Parks, who was  
5 a woman of great courage, love, and faith; and

6 WHEREAS, Rosa Parks aided in initiating the modern civil rights movement on  
7 December 1, 1955, by refusing to give up her seat on a bus in Montgomery, Alabama; and

8 WHEREAS, she gave inspiration to many through her high ideals, morals, and deep concern  
9 for equality and justice, and her vision and unyielding commitment have made this country  
10 a better place in which to live; and

11 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the citizens of Georgia take time on this  
12 day to celebrate the bravery of Rosa Parks as well as her historic and profound impact on the  
13 civil rights movement in this country.

14 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
15 the members of this body recognize December 1, 2018, as Mrs. Rosa L. Parks Day at the  
16 state capitol.

17 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
18 and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the  
19 public and the press.