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House Resolution 1682

By: Representatives Coomer of the 14<sup>th</sup>, Ralston of the 7<sup>th</sup>, Abrams of the 89<sup>th</sup>, Stephens of the 164<sup>th</sup>, Williams of the 168<sup>th</sup>, and others

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring the life of Mr. Bob Bryant and dedicating a bridge in his memory; and for other
- 2 purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, Mr. Bob Bryant was widely recognized by the citizens of this state for the vital
- 4 role that he played in leadership and his deep personal commitment to the welfare of the
- 5 citizens of Georgia; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Mr. Bryant earned a bachelor's degree from Columbia College and served as
- 7 a guardian of this nation's freedom and liberty with the United States Armed Forces for more
- 8 than 20 years; and
- 9 WHEREAS, he worked for the City of Savannah as a sanitation superintendent for three
- 10 years and as a facility maintenance supervisor from 1991 to 2001; he also served as an
- operations/general manager for radio station WEAS FM and an office manager for the Allen
- 12 and Perry Law Firm; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Mr. Bryant served for many years as an honorary council member and two
- 14 terms as Mayor Pro Tem on the Garden City Council; and
- 15 WHEREAS, Mr. Bryant diligently and conscientiously devoted his time, talents, and energy
- 16 to his constituents as a member of the House of Representatives, where he served on the
- 17 House Committees on Appropriations, Economic Development and Tourism, Industry and
- 18 Labor, Transportation, and Ways and Means; and
- 19 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the extraordinary life of this
- 20 distinguished Georgian be recognized by dedicating a bridge in his honor.
- 21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ENACTED BY THE GENERAL
- 22 ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA that the bridge on GA 21/GA 421/GA 25/Interstate 516 at the

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23 intersection of State Route 25 and State Route 26 Connector/Burnsed Blvd. in Chatham

- 24 County is dedicated as the Bob Bryant Memorial Bridge.
- 25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Transportation is authorized and
- 26 directed to erect and maintain appropriate signs dedicating the Bob Bryant Memorial Bridge.
- 27 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
- 29 family of Mr. Bob Bryant and to the Department of Transportation.