

## House Resolution 17

By: Representatives Brockway of the 102<sup>nd</sup>, Duncan of the 26<sup>th</sup>, Pirkle of the 155<sup>th</sup>, Reeves of the 34<sup>th</sup>, Cantrell of the 22<sup>nd</sup>, and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Georgia Tech Athletic Director Todd Stansbury on returning to Georgia and  
2 assuming the role to lead the athletic association; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Mr. Todd Stansbury graduated from the Georgia Institute of Technology with  
4 a bachelor's degree in Industrial Management in 1984; and

5 WHEREAS, he knew from a young age that he planned to play football at Georgia Tech after  
6 visiting The Flats as a young boy; and

7 WHEREAS, while attending Georgia Tech from 1980-1984, he earned varsity letters playing  
8 football as a middle linebacker and on special teams for head coach Bill Curry; and

9 WHEREAS, Stansbury began his sports management career as the Georgia Tech Assistant  
10 Athletic Director for Academics from 1988-1995; and

11 WHEREAS, Stansbury went on to serve as Director of Athletics at several universities,  
12 including Oregon State University, the University of Central Florida, and East Tennessee  
13 State University; and

14 WHEREAS, having been named the ninth Georgia Tech Athletic Director on  
15 September 22, 2016, Stansbury returned to Georgia and to his alma mater; and

16 WHEREAS, Stansbury has a strong record of demonstrated support for student-athletes'  
17 success both on the field and off through career-development initiatives and new building  
18 developments.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
20 the members of this body commend Georgia Tech Athletic Director Todd Stansbury for his

21 exceptional accomplishments and heartily welcome him back to Georgia to serve as Athletic  
22 Director at his alma mater.

23 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
24 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Mr.  
25 Todd Stansbury.