

House Resolution 1709

By: Representatives Wilkerson of the 38th, Smith of the 41st, Alexander of the 66th, and Burnough of the 77th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Lena Ford; and for other purposes.

- 2 WHEREAS, at just 14 years old, Lena Ford has already made significant strides in promoting
3 positivity and community support through her roles as the CEO of Positively Lena and as the
4 co-founder of the Kinship Family Initiative; and

- 5 WHEREAS, through Positively Lena, she provides a range of products including apparel,
6 accessories, and stationery that feature positive messages, images, and affirmations designed
7 to remind young people of their worth and inspire optimism; and

- 8 WHEREAS, she has proven herself to be an extraordinary young leader and entrepreneur
9 whose diverse talents stem from her passion for art, fashion, and positivity; and

- 10 WHEREAS, Lena has further served as the driving force behind initiatives such as ARTing
11 for You, Pages and Pals, Embrace Their Roots, and Artistic Voices, each contributing to the
12 enrichment of communities and empowering the youth; and

13 WHEREAS, as a result of her dedication to fostering self-esteem in others, supporting the
14 community, and leading by example, Lena has earned the prestigious Gold Presidential
15 Service Award; and

16 WHEREAS, she is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for
17 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

18 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that this remarkable and distinguished
19 Georgian be appropriately honored for her outstanding work.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
21 the members of this body recognize and commend Lena Ford for her many wonderful and
22 precocious accomplishments as well as extend the most sincere best wishes for continued
23 success in her future endeavors.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
25 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Lena
26 Ford.