

House Resolution 208

By: Representatives Greene of the 151st, Dukes of the 154th, and Rynders of the 152nd

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the Albany Area Chamber of Commerce and recognizing February 20, 2019,
2 as Albany-Dougherty County Day at the state capitol; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Albany area plays a key role in supporting Georgia's economy and
4 establishing Georgia as the number one state in which to do business; and

5 WHEREAS, Albany-Dougherty County is known for its attractions and growing tourism
6 industry, outdoor recreational opportunities, natural resources, world-class health care,
7 educational institutions, innovative small businesses, Marine Corps Logistics Base Albany,
8 and global industries, including Procter & Gamble, MillerCoors, Mars Chocolate North
9 America, Pfizer, and Coats & Clark; and

10 WHEREAS, the Albany Area Chamber of Commerce has, for 108 years, represented the
11 interests of the area with distinction to support a business climate that is conducive to
12 economic growth; and

13 WHEREAS, the Albany Area Chamber of Commerce plays a critical role in supporting and
14 protecting the commercial vitality and interests of the Albany area in the aftermath of the
15 tornadoes of January 2 and January 22, 2017, as well as in the aftermath of Hurricane
16 Michael on October 10, 2018; and the people and businesses of the community have
17 demonstrated that "There's Only One Albany".

18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
19 the members of this body commend the Albany Area Chamber of Commerce for 108 years
20 of excellence serving the economic hub of Southwest Georgia and recognize February 20,
21 2019, as Albany-Dougherty County Day at the state capitol.

22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
23 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the
24 Albany Area Chamber of Commerce.