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House Resolution 21EX

By: Representatives Carter of the 92<sup>nd</sup> and Bazemore of the 63<sup>rd</sup>

## **A RESOLUTION**

- 1 Commending STEM Atlanta Women; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, on November 13, 2021, STEM Atlanta Women will celebrate the grand opening
- 3 of its new STEM innovation center, STEM In The City Summerhill, Atlanta; and
- 4 WHEREAS, the center will offer master classes, after-school programs, educational clubs,
- 5 creative and innovative STEM challenges, tech labs, hack-a-thons, conferences,
- 6 entrepreneurial training, and other events to middle and high school girls; and
- 7 WHEREAS, through its interdisciplinary and applied approach, STEM In The City -
- 8 Summerhill will enhance and increase the talent pipeline in STEM careers globally for
- 9 women, girls, and minorities in underrepresented communities; and
- 10 WHEREAS, founded in 2016 by Atlanta native, innovator, human resources business
- professional, and STEM advocate Dr. Maxine Cain, STEM Atlanta Women aims to disrupt
- 12 unconscious biases in tech and bridge the gender gap in STEM fields; and
- 13 WHEREAS, supported by the National STEM Honor Society, STEM Atlanta Women further
- works to enlighten, educate, and empower women and girls about the advantages and global

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opportunities available in science, technology, engineering, and math, as well as the future

- skills needed to compete and succeed in the 21st century; and
- 17 WHEREAS, STEM Atlanta Women has a long and consistent record of service to the
- 18 community and this state and has been recognized as one of the most dynamic and
- 19 committed civic organizations in Georgia; and
- 20 WHEREAS, this outstanding organization has had a tremendous impact on its community
- 21 through its spirit of service and desire to improve the quality of STEM education for women,
- 22 girls, and minorities; and
- WHEREAS, this remarkable nonprofit has established a glowing reputation of renown
- 24 throughout Georgia for its dedication and high ideals; and
- 25 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
- 26 extraordinary organization be appropriately recognized.
- 27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 28 the members of this body commend STEM Atlanta Women upon the grand opening of its
- 29 new STEM innovation center, STEM In The City Summerhill, Atlanta, and extend best
- 30 wishes for many more years of service to the community.
- 31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 32 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
- 33 STEM Atlanta Women.