

House Resolution 23

By: Representatives Waites of the 60th, Williams of the 168th, Stephens of the 165th, and Gordon of the 163rd

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Mr. Wilson Moran for his outstanding community service and congratulating
2 him and his wife, Ernestine Moran, on their fiftieth wedding anniversary; and for other
3 purposes.

4 WHEREAS, Mr. Moran has served on the Board of Directors for Habitat for Humanity,
5 McIntosh County Development Authority, Board of Directors for the McIntosh Sustainable
6 Environment and Economic Development, and McIntosh County YMCA; and

7 WHEREAS, he serves as vice president of his local chapter of the NAACP and is a former
8 member of the Optimist Club; and

9 WHEREAS, he served three years in the United States Army during the Vietnam Conflict,
10 worked for the Police Department of Hartford, Connecticut, and the Glynn County Law
11 Enforcement Division, and is now retired from AT&T; and

12 WHEREAS, he has received numerous awards and certificates from his community work,
13 including the J.W. Fanning Institute for Leadership award issued through the University of
14 Georgia; and

15 WHEREAS, Mr. Moran is a member of the First African Baptist Church, Harris Neck
16 Community, where he is a Deacon, a Sunday School Superintendent, and a teacher; and

17 WHEREAS, he and his family were invited to Sierra Leone by the President of that country
18 and honored in a ten-day "Grand Homecoming Celebration," which was documented by the
19 film *The Language You Cry In*; and

20 WHEREAS, he has been married to his wife, Ernestine Moran, for 50 years, and they have
21 been blessed with two sons, a foster daughter, a daughter-in-law, and three grandchildren.

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
23 the members of this body commend Mr. Wilson Moran on his exemplary community service
24 and whole-heartedly congratulate him and his wife, Ernestine Moran, on the occasion of their
25 fiftieth wedding anniversary.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
27 and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to Mr.
28 Wilson Moran and his wife, Ernestine Moran.