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House Resolution 236

By: Representative Jones of the 53<sup>rd</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending Charlotte Cook for her outstanding service with the armed forces of the United
- 2 States and recognizing February 19, 2019, as Women Veterans Day at the state capitol; and
- 3 for other purposes.
- 4 WHEREAS, Charlotte Cook honorably served in the United States Army Reserve and the
- 5 United States Air Force (USAF) for 13 years; and
- 6 WHEREAS, during her military service, Charlotte worked as an Administrative Specialist
- 7 with the United States Army Reserve for five years, before switching branches and enlisting
- 8 in the USAF in 1985; in the USAF, Charlotte worked as an Inventory Administrative
- 9 Specialist and was stationed at Lowry Air Force Base in Colorado, Osan Air Force Base in
- 10 Korea, and Norton Air Force Base in California; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Charlotte earned several degrees while in the USAF, including associate
- 12 degrees in logistics management and liberal arts and a bachelor's degree in business
- 13 management; and
- 14 WHEREAS, she played on the USAF softball team from 1985 to 1993 and coached softball
- 15 at Riverdale Parks and Recreation and Mundy Mills High School; and
- 16 WHEREAS, after discharge, Charlotte moved to Georgia and worked at the post office as
- a city carrier before retiring in 2007; and
- 18 WHEREAS, this distinguished gentlewoman has given inspiration to many through her high
- 19 ideals, morals, and deep concern for her fellow citizens, and she possesses the vast wisdom
- 20 which only comes through experience and the strength of character which is achieved
- 21 through overcoming the many challenges of life; and

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22 WHEREAS, Charlotte served with honor and distinction, and her vision and unyielding

- 23 commitment to her country and community have set the standard for public service.
- 24 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 25 the members of this body commend Charlotte Cook for her outstanding service with the
- armed forces of the United States and recognize February 19, 2019, as Women Veterans Day
- 27 at the state capitol.
- 28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 29 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
- 30 Charlotte Cook.