

## House Resolution 241

By: Representative Efstration of the 104<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Dyer Elementary School Chorus and Percussion Ensemble  
2 as one of the top Elementary Music Programs in the great State of Georgia in 2017; and for  
3 other purposes.

4 WHEREAS, Dyer Elementary School delivers an outstanding education to its students by  
5 providing a challenging curriculum in a supportive and intellectually stimulating learning  
6 environment; and

7 WHEREAS, music plays an important role in this school's interdisciplinary approach; and

8 WHEREAS, Dyer Elementary School's outstanding Fine Arts program affords students the  
9 ability to access their inner beauty and creativity to produce an aesthetic experience which  
10 cannot be attained in a typical classroom setting; and

11 WHEREAS, the Dyer Elementary School Chorus and Percussion Ensemble is composed of  
12 incredibly dedicated students who spend several hours during the week rehearsing and  
13 striving for perfection; and

14 WHEREAS, this outstanding group of Georgia youths was one of the two elementary groups  
15 invited to perform at the Georgia Music Educator Association's Annual Conference on  
16 January 27, 2017; and

17 WHEREAS, in the past two years, this ensemble has performed three World Premiere  
18 Performance Pieces by composers Stephen Jean and J.E. Dudley; and

19 WHEREAS, Dyer Elementary School Chorus and Percussion Ensemble is civically engaged  
20 and has had the privilege of performing for GCPs School Board Members, former State  
21 Senator Jason Carter, State Representative Chuck Efstration, Congressman Rob Woodall,

22 State Superintendent Richard Woods, Mayor Jimmy Wilbanks, and most notably, President  
23 Jimmy Carter and his wife, Rosalyn; and

24 WHEREAS, the exuberance and talent of these magnificent elementary school students  
25 reveals their hard work and dedicated practice, and the State of Georgia takes great pride in  
26 these exceptional young singers and musicians.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
28 the members of this body recognize and commend the Dyer Elementary School Chorus and  
29 Percussion Ensemble for its genuinely impressive talent and dedication.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
31 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the  
32 Dyer Elementary School Chorus and Percussion Ensemble.