

## House Resolution 338

By: Representatives Scott of the 76<sup>th</sup>, Lewis-Ward of the 109<sup>th</sup>, and Schofield of the 60<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating and commending Yalonda Fredericks for receiving the 2021 Yellow Rose  
2 Nikki T. Randall Servant Leader Award; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, in 1999, Representative Nikki T. Randall became the first African American  
4 female elected to the General Assembly from middle Georgia, and over her 17 years of  
5 service as a legislator, she held numerous leadership positions, including chair of the Georgia  
6 Legislative Women's Caucus; and

7 WHEREAS, every year during Women's History Month, the Georgia Legislative Women's  
8 Caucus recognizes outstanding women in Georgia who exemplify the leadership and  
9 inspiration embodied by Representative Randall; and

10 WHEREAS, Yalonda Fredericks has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable  
11 hours of her time, talents, and energy toward the betterment of her community and state, as  
12 evidenced by her many years of superlative service in respiratory therapy; and

13 WHEREAS, she has earned distinction and numerous awards as a result of her dedicated  
14 service to Southern Regional Hospital in Riverdale, Georgia, including the 2017 I Spy

15 Award, the 2018 Therapist of the Year Award, the 20 Years of Service Award, and more;  
16 and

17 WHEREAS, a woman of deep and abiding faith who witnesses Christ through word and  
18 deed, Yalonda is an active member of Floyd Chapel Baptist Church in Stockbridge, Georgia,  
19 where she is a member of many ministries that benefit the community; and

20 WHEREAS, a dedicated healthcare professional, she strives to provide high-quality  
21 treatment for her patients with the utmost care and kindness and has established a glowing  
22 reputation of renown throughout Georgia for her deep personal commitment to the welfare  
23 and health of the citizens of Georgia; and

24 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this  
25 extraordinary servant leader be appropriately recognized.

26 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
27 the members of this body congratulate and commend Yalonda Fredericks for receiving the  
28 2021 Yellow Rose Nikki T. Randall Servant Leader Award and extend best wishes for her  
29 continued success.

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  
32 Yalonda Fredericks.