

House Resolution 389

By: Representatives Cannon of the 58th, Dukes of the 154th, Marin of the 96th, Park of the 101st, and Nguyen of the 89th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending the Center for Pan Asian Community Services Inc.; and for
2 other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Center for Pan Asian Community Services Inc. (CPACS) was founded in
4 1980 on the belief that people need people, and it is the first, largest, and longest standing
5 organization in the Southeast focused on issues concerning Asian Americans and other
6 underserved populations; and

7 WHEREAS, over the past 39 years since its conception, CPACS has evolved from a
8 volunteer-run organization into a multi-service entity with racially, ethnically, and religiously
9 diverse staff whose linguistic ability covers approximately 17 different language groups; and

10 WHEREAS, this remarkable community center has established a glowing reputation of
11 renown throughout Georgia for its ability to provide family-centered social and health
12 services, and it continues to meet the diversified needs of its community with friendly and
13 professional service; and

14 WHEREAS, the organization's capacity to serve the community grew from 791 clients per
15 month in 1999 to 5,730 clients per month in 2019; and

16 WHEREAS, CPACS's goal has been to deliver comprehensive and family-centered social
17 and health services and recognize that issues of health, education, employment, citizenship,
18 and community are interrelated and integral to people's success and their ability to contribute
19 to the society in which we live; and

20 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
21 extraordinary community center be appropriately recognized.

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
23 the members of this body recognize and commend the Center for Pan Asian Community
24 Services Inc. for its many outstanding contributions on behalf of the citizens of Georgia and
25 extend best wishes for its continued growth, development, and success.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
27 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the
28 Center for Pan Asian Community Services Inc.