

House Resolution 413

By: Representative Byrd of the 20<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Georgia so as to provide that this  
2 state shall recognize the paramount right to life of all human beings as persons at any stage  
3 of development; to provide for submission of this amendment for ratification or rejection;  
4 and for other purposes.

5 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

### 6 SECTION 1.

7 Article I, Section I of the Constitution is amended by adding a new Paragraph to read as  
8 follows:

9 "Paragraph XXXI. *Paramount right to life.* This state shall recognize the paramount  
10 right to life of all human beings as persons at any stage of development."

### 11 SECTION 2.

12 The above proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be published and submitted as  
13 provided in Article X, Section I, Paragraph II of the Constitution. The ballot submitting the  
14 above proposed amendment shall have written or printed thereon the following:

15     " YES   Shall the Constitution of Georgia be amended so as to provide that this state  
16      NO    shall recognize the paramount right to life of all human beings as persons  
17                    at any stage of development?"

18   All persons desiring to vote in favor of ratifying the proposed amendment shall vote "Yes."  
19   All persons desiring to vote against ratifying the proposed amendment shall vote "No." If  
20   such amendment shall be ratified as provided in said Paragraph of the Constitution, it shall  
21   become a part of the Constitution of this state.