

House Resolution 418

By: Representative Williamson of the 115th

A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating and commending Foster Brady Farms; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Foster Brady Farms was recently named the 2020 Friend of Conservation by
3 the National Association of Conservation Districts as well as the Conservationist of the Year
4 by the Georgia Association of Conservation Districts; and

5 WHEREAS, the Foster family has loved and cared for their land for five generations,
6 encompassing more than a century of hard work and dedication, and Foster Brady Farms will
7 be celebrating its 161st anniversary on March 17, 2021; and

8 WHEREAS, the family practices methods such as row cropping, sustainable cattle ranging,
9 and vegetable farming, applying their conservation plans in a continuously updated and
10 progressive fashion in collaboration with USDA-NRCS; and

11 WHEREAS, having earned its reputation for providing outstanding contributions to the
12 conservation of natural resources, the farm continues to show the importance of
13 implementing conservation practices in order to enhance production, income, and
14 sustainability; and

15 WHEREAS, its employees are staunch supporters of the Walton County community who
16 unselfishly devote innumerable hours of their time and talents to supporting and improving
17 the area; and

18 WHEREAS, Foster Brady Farms serves as a shining example that sustainable agriculture
19 practices are achievable in order to protect our natural resources; and

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

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
23 the members of this body congratulate Foster Brady Farms on being named the 2020 Friend
24 of Conservation and the Conservationist of the Year; commend it for its many outstanding
25 contributions on behalf of the citizens of Georgia; and extend best wishes for its continued
26 growth, development, and success.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
28 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Foster
29 Brady Farms.