

House Resolution 442

By: Representative Dudgeon of the 25th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Ethan Anderson for his contributions to his community; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Ethan Anderson is a patriotic eighth grader at Riverwatch Middle School in
4 Forsyth County; and

5 WHEREAS, Ethan is a member of Change 4 Georgia, a community service program that
6 provides students with opportunities to honor our soldiers and veterans for their service,
7 dedication, and sacrifice; and

8 WHEREAS, Change 4 Georgia's objective is to encourage students to get involved in their
9 community, demonstrate loyalty to their country, and actively assist our military; and

10 WHEREAS, students collect supplies for soldiers from their "Wish List" that are not readily
11 available or provided but that add comfort and fit in their backpacks, such as snacks,
12 batteries, and books; and

13 WHEREAS, families of soldiers are also provided school supplies, backpacks, food,
14 clothing, and diapers, and military families are adopted during the holidays and provided
15 toys, clothing, and food; and

16 WHEREAS, Change 4 Georgia provides scholarships to student veterans at local colleges
17 for their extraordinary efforts in going above and beyond the call of duty; and

18 WHEREAS, Ethan has participated in annual fundraisers to assist troops, veterans, and their
19 families, always meeting the goals; and

20 WHEREAS, Ethan is a project director for a program called Cookies 4 Courage, where he
21 and other Change 4 Georgia members bake cookies and deliver them to local fire and police
22 stations as a way to show their gratitude; and

23 WHEREAS, some of Change 4 Georgia's programs include Wish List Drives, Dynamite
24 Diaper Duty Drives, Friendly Food Drives, Operation Oatmeal, Suds 4 Soldiers Car Wash
25 and Bake Sale, Read Across Forsyth, Building By Books, It's A Wrap, and the Terrific Toy
26 Drive.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
28 the members of this body commend Ethan Anderson for his tireless dedication to helping
29 those around him and his extensive work with Change 4 Georgia.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
31 and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to Ethan
32 Anderson.