

House Resolution 512

By: Representative Marin of the 96th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Los Vecinos de Buford Highway; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Los Vecinos de Buford Highway is a nonprofit organization that works to
3 cultivate community, magnify the voices of residents, grow future leaders, and preserve the
4 distinct quality of Buford Highway; and

5 WHEREAS, this distinguished organization further works to establish communication
6 between residents at apartment complexes along Buford Highway and local service
7 providers, serving as a conduit of information and social capital; and

8 WHEREAS, Los Vecinos de Buford Highway elevate leadership opportunities by providing
9 basic Know Your Rights training to residents, who then act as first responders when
10 predatory landlord practices arise at local apartments; and

11 WHEREAS, Los Vecinos de Buford Highway are staunch supporters of the Buford Highway
12 community who unselfishly devote innumerable hours of their time and talents to support
13 and improve the area; and

14 WHEREAS, Executive Director Stephanie Coreas and her team help to magnify the least
15 heard voices by facilitating spaces for residents to gather, which allows them to work
16 together towards resident based solutions; and

17 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
18 extraordinary company be appropriately recognized.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
20 the members of this body recognize and commend Los Vecinos de Buford Highway for their
21 many outstanding contributions on behalf of the citizens of Georgia and extend best wishes
22 for continued growth, development, and success.

23 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
24 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Los
25 Vecinos de Buford Highway.