

House Resolution 534

By: Representatives Wilkerson of the 38th, Smith of the 41st, Evans of the 42nd, Teasley of the 37th, Bruce of the 61st, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending the Osborne High School Junior ROTC Raider Team on their
2 national championship win and inviting them to be recognized by the House of
3 Representatives; and for other purposes.

4 WHEREAS, members of the Osborne High School JROTC Raider Team have a reputation
5 in the community and throughout this state for strength, determination, and dedication; and

6 WHEREAS, the Raider Team conquered first place in five of their six competitions this year,
7 which included bringing home the Georgia State championship title to Elbert County High
8 School for the first time; and

9 WHEREAS, on the weekend of November 2, 2012, in Molena, Georgia, the Raider Team
10 competed against 72 other teams from all over the country for the Raider Challenge
11 championship and the Osborne High School JROTC male Raider Team won first place while
12 the female team came in second in their competition; and

13 WHEREAS, students competed in five events: a physical team test, where students tested
14 their agility, strength, balance, and stamina; rope bridge, in which teams constructed a
15 standard one rope bridge and moved across a lake; cross-country rescue, in which members
16 splinted a leg fracture, then carried 35 pound rucksacks and a 95 pound stretcher over a
17 one-mile course; raider gauntlet, in which teams carried five 35 pound rucksacks over a
18 two-mile course; and a 5K team run; and

19 WHEREAS, these magnificent cadets performed with precision during their events and serve
20 as exceptional role models for all students in the State of Georgia.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
22 the members of this body commend the Osborne High School JROTC Raider Team for its
23 outstanding achievements, extend their sincerest best wishes for continued success in the

24 future, and invite the team to be recognized by the House of Representatives at a date and
25 time designated by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
27 and directed to transmit appropriate copies of this resolution to Osborne High School and the
28 Osborne High School JROTC Raider Team.