

House Resolution 569

By: Representative Powell of the 33rd

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring the life and memory of Cedric Juan Martin; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia mourns the loss of one of its most distinguished citizens
3 with the passing of Cedric Juan Martin on September 26, 2022; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Cedric Juan Martin, known affectionately as Satchamo, was born on December
5 25, 1959, in Hartwell, Georgia, a beloved son of James Martin and Thelma Turman; and
- 6 WHEREAS, cherished for his barbecue and his love of family, he was united in love and
7 marriage to his wife, Angela, and was blessed with one remarkable daughter, Nijah; and
- 8 WHEREAS, never shy about his past, Cedric Juan Martin used his past life experiences as
9 a positive vessel for changing the lives of young men in the community, and his love for Hart
10 County and its residents was unmatched and selfless; and
- 11 WHEREAS, he gave inspiration to many through his high ideals, morals, and deep concern
12 for his fellow citizens, and the devotion, patience, and understanding he demonstrated to his
13 family and friends were admired by others; and

14 WHEREAS, he was a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation
15 for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness, and by the example he made of his life, he
16 made this world a better place in which to live; and

17 WHEREAS, a compassionate and generous man, Cedric Juan Martin will long be
18 remembered for his love of family, friendship, and community and will be missed by all who
19 had the great fortune of knowing him.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
21 the members of this body join in honoring the life and memory of Cedric Juan Martin and
22 express their deepest and most sincere regret at his passing.

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 the
25 family of Cedric Juan Martin.