

House Resolution 630

By: Representatives Gaines of the 120th, Erwin of the 32nd, Dunahoo of the 31st, and Persinger of the 119th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Crooked Creek Baptist Church on the occasion of its 220th
2 anniversary; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the seeds which were sown by the loving and humble efforts of the devoted
4 original worshipers of Crooked Creek Baptist Church have blossomed, establishing a rich
5 tradition and history; and

6 WHEREAS, organized in 1803, Crooked Creek Baptist Church has grown under the divine
7 direction of numerous pastors over the years, allowing the Word of God to spread throughout
8 the community; and

9 WHEREAS, Crooked Creek Baptist Church is a vibrant growing church family committed
10 to honoring God and His word through their motto: "Grounded in Truth, Growing in Grace,
11 and Going in Love"; and

12 WHEREAS, the congregation of this church has compiled an unparalleled record of
13 constructive, compassionate, and humanitarian service which it demonstrates daily through
14 open minds, open hearts, and open doors; and

15 WHEREAS, the members of Crooked Creek Baptist Church have a sincere desire to serve
16 the Lord and are wholeheartedly committed to spreading the gospel of Jesus Christ; and

17 WHEREAS, the story of Crooked Creek Baptist Church is one of triumph through the grace
18 and sustaining power of God, and it stands as an immovable witness to the truth that God
19 keeps His promise; and

20 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that this enduring example of God's message
21 of peace and love be recognized and congratulated for its innumerable good works rendered
22 on behalf of persons in need.

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
24 the members of this body recognize the rich history of Crooked Creek Baptist Church,
25 commend its 220 years of dedicated service to the Lord and community, and extend their
26 warmest best wishes for its continued growth 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
29 Crooked Creek Baptist Church.