

## House Resolution 661

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## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring the life and memory of Judge Sherrell Terry; 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 Judge Sherrell Terry on January 19, 2022; and
- 4 WHEREAS, prior to becoming Talbot County's first probate judge, Judge Terry worked for  
5 her family's business, the Terry Family Funeral Home, which has locations in Talbotton and  
6 Hamilton; and
- 7 WHEREAS, she gave inspiration to many through her high ideals, morals, and deep concern  
8 for her fellow citizens, and the devotion, patience, and understanding she demonstrated to  
9 her family and friends were admired by others; and
- 10 WHEREAS, she was a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation  
11 for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness, and by the example she made of her life,  
12 she made this world a better place in which to live; and

13 WHEREAS, a compassionate and generous woman, Judge Terry will long be remembered  
14 for her love of family, friendship, and community and will be missed by all who had the  
15 great fortune of knowing her.

16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
17 the members of this body join in honoring the life and memory of Judge Sherrell Terry and  
18 express their deepest and most sincere regret at her passing.

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
20 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the  
21 family of Judge Sherrell Terry.