

House Resolution 694

By: Representatives Cannon of the 58th, Taylor of the 173rd, Buckner of the 137th, Hugley of the 141st, and Parrish of the 158th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending the Morehouse School of Medicine for providing
2 opportunities through its Physician Assistant program; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Morehouse School of Medicine (MSM) Physician Assistant (PA) program
4 is one of the newest professional graduate programs at MSM and comes as a response to
5 rising health care needs across Georgia and around the world; and

6 WHEREAS, the program brings with it workforce diversity and increased access to care in
7 under-served rural and urban communities across Georgia; and

8 WHEREAS, the MSM PA program offers quality graduate medical curricula that empowers
9 students to prioritize and address community health outcomes through civic engagement,
10 ethical leadership, and global social responsibility; and

11 WHEREAS, the mission of the MSM PA program is to lead the creation and advancement
12 of health equity by empowering and educating the next generation of physician assistants to
13 achieve academic, personal, and professional success and become committed life-long
14 learners who will provide compassionate, high quality, patient-centered care to meet the

15 primary health care needs of the urban and rural under-served populations in Georgia and the
16 nation; and

17 WHEREAS, the values of the MSM PA program are integrity, wisdom, knowledge,
18 excellence, innovation, service, compassion, leadership, and professionalism.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
20 the members of this body recognize and commend the Morehouse School of Medicine for
21 providing opportunities for learning through its Physician Assistant program and extend best
22 wishes for continued 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 the
25 Morehouse School of Medicine.