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House Resolution 761

By: Representatives Scott of the 76th, Burnough of the 77th, Schofield of the 60th, and Davis of the 87th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending Jennifer Henley, Morrow High School's 2021-2022 Teacher of the Year; and
- 2 for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, a proper quality education for the young people of this state is the single most
- 4 important objective of the General Assembly; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Jennifer Henley has long been recognized by the citizens of this state for the
- 6 vital role that she has played in the teaching profession and her deep personal commitment
- 7 to the education of the students of Georgia; and
- 8 WHEREAS, she has served as one of Morrow High School's designated gifted teachers for
- 9 the past 17 years, and this year marks her sixth year as the designated Lead Gifted Teacher
- and her fifteenth year serving as a chair member for the Morrow High School Social Studies
- 11 Department; and
- 12 WHEREAS, she has earned distinction and numerous awards, including the STAR teacher
- 13 award for both Morrow High School and Clayton County Public Schools, for teaching
- excellence and has been honored as Morrow High School's 2021-2022 Teacher of the Year;
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16 WHEREAS, her dedication to both her students and understanding history is prevalent

- 17 through her participation in the James Madison Legacy Project, the NEH Landmarks of
- 18 American History and Culture Workshop in Deerfield, Massachusetts, and various educator
- 19 seminars; and
- 20 WHEREAS, annually her students participate in both National History Day and the Georgia
- 21 Council for the Social Studies Fair, where several have competed and won first place at the
- 22 state level; and
- 23 WHEREAS, in recognition of her contributions to the education and welfare of young people
- 24 in this state, it is abundantly fitting and proper for this body to honor the extraordinary
- 25 accomplishments and academic achievements of this outstanding educator.
- 26 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 27 the members of this body commend Jennifer Henley, Morrow High School's 2021-2022
- 28 Teacher of the Year, and express their most sincere best wishes for continued success.
- 29 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
- 31 Jennifer Henley.