

House Resolution 781

By: Representatives Bonner of the 72nd, Washburn of the 141st, Powell of the 32nd, and Williamson of the 115th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the Building Owners and Managers Association of Georgia (BOMA Georgia)
2 and recognizing February 22, 2022, as BOMA Georgia Day at the state capitol; and for other
3 purposes.

4 WHEREAS, founded in 1913 as BOMA-Atlanta, the Building Owners and Managers
5 Association of Georgia is a trade association representing the commercial real estate industry
6 in the State of Georgia; and

7 WHEREAS, commercial real estate contributes approximately \$5.5 billion to Georgia's
8 economy, generates more than \$1.7 billion in new taxable personal earnings, and supports
9 nearly 50,000 jobs; and

10 WHEREAS, BOMA Georgia members are responsible for the ownership, management, and
11 administration of more than 150 million square feet of office space and additional millions
12 of square feet of facilities throughout Georgia; and

13 WHEREAS, these individuals represent building ownership, professional property
14 management firms, professional service providers, and contract services, including
15 construction, cleaning services, security services, elevator maintenance, and more than 40

16 other categories of specialty services, having 24-hour-a-day responsibility for the safety,
17 physical well-being, and security of hundreds of thousands of employees housed in the office
18 buildings, office parks, medical offices, and other facilities managed by this industry; and

19 WHEREAS, BOMA Georgia has established the BOMA Georgia Foundation, a charitable
20 organization contributing to research and education in the commercial real estate industry;
21 and

22 WHEREAS, research conducted by the BOMA Georgia Foundation assists in enhancing the
23 State of Georgia's reputation as a cutting-edge leader in commercial real estate and business
24 initiatives; and

25 WHEREAS, BOMA Georgia supported frontline and essential workers through
26 complimentary whitepapers and guides on COVID-19, building re-entry, structural
27 inspection and repair, and more; and

28 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
29 extraordinary organization be recognized.

30 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
31 the members of this body commend the Building Owners and Managers Association of
32 Georgia and its members for service to the real estate industry and recognize February 22,
33 2022, as BOMA Georgia Day at the state capitol.

34 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
35 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the
36 Building Owners and Managers Association of Georgia.