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House Resolution 86

By: Representatives Burns of the 159th, Tankersley of the 160th, and Parrish of the 158th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Raybon Anderson; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Raybon Anderson was raised on a farm in Nevils, Georgia, and graduated from
- 3 Southeast Bulloch High School in 1956; and
- 4 WHEREAS, he was united in love and marriage to his wife, Janelle, on June 10, 1960, and
- 5 they were blessed with two remarkable children, Mike and Angie; and
- 6 WHEREAS, a man of deep and abiding faith, Raybon is a long-time member of Statesboro
- 7 Primitive Baptist Church, and it has been said that he is a genuine man of integrity who has
- 8 always put God in the center of everything he has done and that he is a leader and problem
- 9 solver with a servant's heart; and
- 10 WHEREAS, he has served in various elected and appointed roles and capacities over the
- 11 years, including as chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, the Development
- 12 Authority of Bulloch County, the Chamber of Commerce, the Georgia Department of Natural
- 13 Resources, the Georgia Department of Transportation, and several others; and
- 14 WHEREAS, he is the founder of Bulloch Fertilizer Company, Anderson's General Store, and
- 15 the president of Raybon Anderson Farms, Inc., founded in 1963; and
- 16 WHEREAS, Raybon noticed a need for an organization that was able to help farmers with
- 17 all agricultural needs, including fertilizer, agricultural chemicals, horse supplies, and any
- 18 other services and products that a farmer could need, all within one location; and
- 19 WHEREAS, with this motivation in mind, he founded Bulloch Fertilizer Company, garnering
- 20 local customers over the decades who have supported him and become like family; and

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21 WHEREAS, he has always believed in being honest and sincere, in serving customers with

- 22 a smile, and in always following through on promises; and
- 23 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the hard work and various achievements
- 24 of this exemplary Georgian be appropriately recognized.
- 25 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 26 the members of this body recognize and commend Raybon Anderson.
- 27 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
- 29 Raybon Anderson.