

## House Resolution 983

By: Representatives Collins of the 68<sup>th</sup>, Cooke of the 18<sup>th</sup>, Nix of the 69<sup>th</sup>, and Smith of the 70<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Lieutenant Darren Edwards on his outstanding public service  
2 as a firefighter for Carroll County Fire Rescue for 23 years; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Lieutenant Darren Edwards has long been recognized by the citizens of this  
4 state for the vital role that he has played in leadership and his deep personal commitment to  
5 the welfare of the citizens of Georgia; and

6 WHEREAS, he has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of his time,  
7 talents, and energy toward the betterment of his community and state as evidenced  
8 dramatically by his superlative service with the Carroll County Fire Rescue; and

9 WHEREAS, this distinguished gentleman has given inspiration to many through his high  
10 ideals, morals, and deep concern for his fellow citizens, and he possesses the vast wisdom  
11 which only comes through experience and the strength of character which is achieved  
12 through overcoming the many challenges of life; and

13 WHEREAS, he is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for  
14 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

15 WHEREAS, Lt. Edwards has served with honor and distinction with Carroll County Fire  
16 Rescue, and his vision and unyielding commitment will be sorely missed upon the occasion  
17 of his retirement; and

18 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this  
19 remarkable and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
21 the members of this body recognize and commend Lieutenant Darren Edwards for his  
22 efficient, effective, unselfish, and dedicated public service to the State of Georgia;

23 congratulate him upon the grand occasion of his retirement; and extend the most sincere best  
24 wishes for continued health and happiness.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
26 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to  
27 Lieutenant Darren Edwards.