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Senate Resolution 326

By: Senators Harbin of the 16th, Albers of the 56th, Thompson of the 14th, Watson of the 1st and Kennedy of the 18th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Celebrating Peachtree City's 60th Anniversary; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Peachtree City was chartered March 9, 1959, after a group of real estate
- 3 developers amassed more than 12,000 acres of land in Fayette County to build a strong and
- 4 vibrant community for Georgian families; and
- 5 WHEREAS, in 1775, William McIntosh, Jr., son of a Scotsman and Creek Indian woman,
- 6 was born and he later became Chief of the Lower Creek Indian Tribes that lived in the area.
- 7 In honor of Chief McIntosh, many towns and roads in Fayette County were originally given
- 8 Scottish names; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Peachtree City is the current home to more than 35,000 Georgians, including
- more than 1,700 business owners. A vibrant economy and outstanding quality of life are
- 11 why business owners "Plan to Stay" in Peachtree City; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Peachtree City's convenient proximity to the world's busiest airport,
- 13 Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport, is a big factor in the city's corporate
- 14 success; and
- 15 WHEREAS, Peachtree City is committed to ensuring residents a safe and healthy
- 16 environment in which to work and live by promoting a sense of community through family
- 17 oriented activities and citizen involvement; and
- 18 WHEREAS, Peachtree City has been called the "golf cart capital of the world" with more
- 19 than 9,000 registered golf carts and nearly 100 miles of tar paths. On most days, hundreds
- 20 of golf carts drive along the sprawling network of paths that has become known as the
- 21 "children's highway"; and

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22 WHEREAS, Peachtree City holds the perfect combination of a quiet and community

- 23 centered life while also being in close proximity to the capital of our great state. Peachtree
- 24 City has and continues to promote a high quality of life while also maintaining a friendly and
- safe neighborhood throughout its 60 years as one of Georgia's thriving cities.
- 26 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
- 27 celebrate Peachtree City for its continuance as an involved and vibrant community for the
- 28 past 60 years in Georgia.
- 29 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 30 to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the public and the
- 31 press.