

Senate Resolution 36EX

By: Senator Jackson of the 2nd

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending Michelle Taylor Willis; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, founder of Gagnant Media, Michelle Taylor Willis has long been recognized
3 as an award-winning entrepreneur, author, speaker, and master strategist; and
- 4 WHEREAS, she has been featured in several publications and has appeared on the nationally
5 syndicated *Tamron Hall Show* on ABC to discuss her new book, *Raising Significance: A*
6 *Guide to Well-Rounded, Independent, and Confident Kids*; and
- 7 WHEREAS, a media force and cherished personality, Michelle is host of *According to*
8 *Michelle*, several episodes of which have surpassed one million views, as well as the
9 brainchild of the Moms All In® Conference, an event centered on instructing entrepreneurial
10 and executive-level women on how to build businesses without sacrificing themselves and
11 their families in the process; and
- 12 WHEREAS, she has coined and trademarked SoFu®, a term that represents the eight cities
13 of South Fulton County in Atlanta, Georgia, and she has earned much recognition for her
14 efforts to re-energize the area; and

15 WHEREAS, a valuable resource for businesses in the State of Georgia, she has earned
16 numerous awards and honors for her work with corporations, small businesses, and
17 nonprofits, including countless Outstanding Business/Businessperson of the Year awards
18 from various organizations; and

19 WHEREAS, she is a proud member of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Inc. who serves many
20 civic and professional organizations, associations, and groups, such as the South Fulton
21 Chamber of Commerce, the Theatre du Reve Inc., the United Way of Greater Atlanta, and
22 more; and

23 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
24 extraordinary individual be appropriately recognized.

25 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
26 commend Michelle Taylor Willis for her many wonderful accomplishments and extend
27 sincere best wishes for future health and happiness.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
29 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Michelle Taylor
30 Willis.