Senate Resolution 444 By: Senator Mullis of the 53rd

## A RESOLUTION

Recognizing and commending Sherry Foster on her outstanding public service; and for other
 purposes.

WHEREAS, Sherry Foster has long been recognized by the citizens of this state for the vital
role that she has played in leadership and her deep personal commitment to the welfare of
the citizens of Georgia; and

6 WHEREAS, she has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of her time,
7 talents, and energy toward the betterment of her community and state as evidenced
8 dramatically by her superlative service with the City of Rossville; and

9 WHEREAS, Sherry has displayed professionalism, enthusiasm, and outstanding character10 during her 33 years as the city clerk for the City of Rossville; and

WHEREAS, her dedication to her community is evident through her additional service as chairman and board member of the Walker County Chamber of Commerce; president of the Rossville Exchange Club; co-chair of the 100 Year Celebration Music Festival, hosted by the City of Rossville; board member of Walker County Teen Resource; and more; and 22

15 WHEREAS, Sherry has been honored by the International Clerks Assocation for 16 accomplishing CMC status; recognized as the City of Rossville Employee of the Year in 17 2003; and granted the Finance Officer of the Year Award for 2004; and

WHEREAS, Sherry's significant organizational and leadership talents, remarkable patience
and diplomacy, keen sense of vision, and sensitivity to the needs of the citizens of this state
have earned her the respect and admiration of her colleagues and associates; and

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

WHEREAS, Sherry has served with honor and distinction, and her vision and unyielding
 commitment to bettering her community will be sorely missed upon the occasion of her
 retirement; and

WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of thisremarkable and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body recognize and commend Sherry Foster for her efficient, effective, unselfish, and dedicated public service to the State of Georgia; congratulate her upon the grand occasion of her retirement; and extend the most sincere best wishes for continued health and happiness.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Sherry Foster.