

Senate Resolution 591

By: Senators Walker III of the 20th, Gooch of the 51st, Kennedy of the 18th, Goodman of the 8th, Watson of the 11th and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the National Federation of Independent Business (NFIB) in Georgia and
2 recognizing February 13, 2024, as NFIB's Small Business Day at the state capitol; and for
3 other purposes.

4 WHEREAS, NFIB is the nation's leading small business advocacy association, with offices
5 in Washington, D.C., and all 50 state capitals; and

6 WHEREAS, founded in 1943 as a nonprofit, nonpartisan organization, NFIB gives small and
7 independent business owners a voice in shaping the public policy issues that affect their
8 businesses; and

9 WHEREAS, for 80 years, NFIB's powerful network of grassroots activists have sent their
10 views directly to state and federal lawmakers, thus playing a critical role in supporting
11 America's free enterprise system; and

12 WHEREAS, NFIB's mission is to promote and protect the right of its members to own,
13 operate, and grow their businesses; and

14 WHEREAS, NFIB's Georgia membership of more than 7,000 represents a constituency of
15 small businesses reaching every corner of the state.

16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
17 commend the National Federation of Independent Business in Georgia for its work in serving
18 small businesses and for its members' continued commitment to enhancing the climate for
19 free enterprise state-wide as well as recognize February 13, 2024, as NFIB's Small Business
20 Day at the state capitol.

21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
22 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the Georgia
23 Chapter of the National Federation of Independent Business.