

Senate Resolution 712

By: Senators Kennedy of the 18th, Lucas of the 26th, Williams of the 25th, Robertson of the 29th and Gooch of the 51st

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing March 7, 2024, as Monroe County Day at the state capitol; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Monroe County, Georgia, was founded in 1821 and named after James Monroe,
4 a founding father and the fifth President of the United States; and

5 WHEREAS, Monroe County covers 395 square miles and has a population of over 27,000
6 people; and

7 WHEREAS, the county seat of Monroe is the City of Forsyth; and

8 WHEREAS, Monroe County is home to outdoor tourist attractions such as the
9 Chattahoochee National Forest, High Falls State Park, and Lake Juliette; and

10 WHEREAS, the Monroe County Commission is dutifully and effectively performing its role
11 as the elected legislative body of Monroe County by faithfully identifying and executing
12 short-term and long-term goals, demonstrating exceptional leadership, and working hard to
13 ensure that Monroe County continues to be a staple community in middle Georgia; and

14 WHEREAS, the Monroe County Chamber of Commerce is working to develop and apply
15 new ideas, techniques, and technologies to generate and improve productivity levels, fiscal
16 sustainability, business development, job growth, and quality of life within Monroe County;
17 and

18 WHEREAS, the citizens of Monroe County are justly proud of their community, its past, and
19 its numerous contributions to the state, and it is only fitting and proper to recognize this
20 exemplary county.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
22 recognize March 7, 2024, as Monroe County Day at the state capitol and express sincere best
23 wishes for continued success.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
25 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the Monroe
26 County Chamber of Commerce.