

## Senate Resolution 824

By: Senators Ginn of the 47th, Miller of the 49th, Dugan of the 30th, Butler of the 55th, Gooch of the 51st and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing Senator Jeff Mullis and dedicating an intersection in his honor; and for other  
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Senator Jeff Mullis has a long and consistent record of service to the  
4 community and to this state, and he has been recognized as one of the most dynamic and  
5 committed citizens of Georgia; and

6 WHEREAS, he has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of his time,  
7 talents, and energy toward the betterment of his community and state as evidenced  
8 dramatically by his superlative service with the Georgia State Senate; and

9 WHEREAS, Senator Mullis was first elected to the Georgia State Senate in 2000 to serve  
10 Senate District 53 and is currently the longest serving Republican in the Senate, and he has  
11 announced that he will not seek reelection; and

12 WHEREAS, born and raised in Chickamauga, Georgia, Senator Mullis was formerly a fire  
13 chief and is an economic developer in Northwest Georgia for the Northwest Joint  
14 Development Authority; and

15 WHEREAS, Senator Mullis is currently the chairman of the Senate Rules Committee and the  
16 chairman of the Economic Development Subcommittee of Senate Appropriations and has  
17 served on multiple other committees during his time in the Senate; and

18 WHEREAS, Senator Mullis also chairs the Senate Music Committee and the Halls of Fame  
19 Joint Committee, and he is the chairman emeritus of the Sportsman Caucus, whose mission  
20 is to promote and protect hunting, fishing, and the Second Amendment; and

21 WHEREAS, he has been recognized by *Georgia Trend* magazine as one of the "100 Most  
22 Influential People in Georgia" for six consecutive years, and *James Magazine* listed him as  
23 one of the "Most Influential Political Leaders in Georgia" for eight consecutive years; and

24 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that this remarkable and distinguished  
25 Georgian be appropriately recognized by dedicating an intersection in his honor.

26 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ENACTED BY THE GENERAL  
27 ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA that the intersection of State Route 341 and Lee Clarkson Road  
28 in Walker County is dedicated as the Senator Jeff Mullis Intersection.

29 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Transportation is authorized and  
30 directed to erect and maintain appropriate signs dedicating the Senator Jeff Mullis  
31 Intersection.

32 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
33 to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to Senator Jeff Mullis  
34 and to the Department of Transportation.