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Senate Resolution 996

By: Senators Hill of the 4th, Stone of the 23rd, Tillery of the 19th and Watson of the 1st

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Delia Mobley, the Statesboro Rotary Clubs' 2018 Citizen of
- 2 the Year; and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, Delia Mobley was jointly recognized by Statesboro's two Rotary Clubs as the
- 4 2018 Citizen of the Year for her superlative contributions to the cultural, social, and moral
- 5 advancement of all citizens; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Delia has tirelessly labored on behalf of the homeless individuals of Statesboro
- 7 through her chairmanship of the Open Hearts Community Mission board, and she personally
- 8 spearheaded the creation of a short-term housing facility that would provide shelter and
- 9 assistance in finding employment to individuals lacking a home; and
- 10 WHEREAS, the land upon which the mission was built was provided by the family of the
- 11 late Lester Brannen, construction of the facility was overseen by expert builder David Bobo,
- and fundraising for the project was led by the skilled efforts of Frank Hook; and
- 13 WHEREAS, a woman of deep and abiding faith, Delia is an active member of First United
- 14 Methodist Church; and
- 15 WHEREAS, Delia gives inspiration to many through her high ideals, morals, and deep
- 16 concern for her fellow citizens, and the devotion, patience, and understanding she
- demonstrates serves as an archetypal example of civic virtue; and
- 18 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding contributions of this
- 19 extraordinary Georgian be appropriately recognized.
- 20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
- 21 recognize and commend Delia Mobley for her exemplary citizenship and compassionate

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22 service to the City of Statesboro and the State of Georgia and extend sincere best wishes for

- 23 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 Delia Mobley.