No. R-454. House concurrent resolution in memory of former Georgia Justice of the Peace Charles Aubrey Thweatt.

(H.C.R.380)

Offered by: Representative Rosenquist of Georgia

Offered by: Senator Branagan

Whereas, Charles Aubrey Thweatt was a native Mississippian who, upon his 1949 graduation from Yocono High School in Lafayette County, enlisted in the U.S. Air Force, and

Whereas, in 1951, while stationed at the radar station in St. Albans, he met Anne Montcalm, and they were married on September 13, 1952 at Holy Angels Church also in St. Albans, and

Whereas, his subsequent postings took them and their growing family to Florida, Kansas, Germany, and Turkey, and

Whereas, Chuck Thweatt trained as both a telephone communications technician and then as a precision measurement equipment laboratories (PMEL) specialist, concluding his military career as a PMEL manager, and

Whereas, as a civilian, he was employed in the precision measurement and semiconductor industries, eventually serving as a senior manager at facilities in Vermont and Mexico, and

Whereas, studying as a highly motivated, part-time adult student, he earned a bachelor's degree in business from the University of Vermont, and

Whereas, his wife and he decided to build their retirement home in Georgia, which served as the base for an active life, and

Whereas, aside from continuing his passions for bowling and gardening and attending his grandchildren's school and athletic events, Chuck Thweatt broadened the scope of his activities, and

Whereas, one of his new interests was the AARP for which he volunteered as an instructor in its "55 Alive" safe driving course, and Governor Douglas presented Chuck Thweatt an award in recognition of his service in teaching this important class, and

Whereas, another new passion was his interest in local government and politics as he became active in the Republican Party and served for a decade on the Georgia Board of Civil Authority and as a justice of the peace, and

Whereas, after a fulfilling life of nearly 87 years, Chuck Thweatt died on March 4, 2018 and his survivors include his wife, Anne, as well as his children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly expresses its sincere condolences to the family of Charles Aubrey Thweatt, and be it further

<u>Resolved</u>: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to the members of Chuck Thweatt's family.