

House Resolution 1137

By: Representatives Scott of the 76th, Stovall of the 74th, Burnough of the 77th, Schofield of the 60th, and Douglas of the 78th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Dr. Angela Faye Rodgers, East Clayton Elementary School's 2019–2020
2 Teacher of the Year; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, nothing is more vital to the future of our state than the education of our young
4 people, and Dr. Angela Faye Rodgers exemplifies the selfless dedication that is characteristic
5 of our finest teachers; and

6 WHEREAS, she received her Bachelor of Science degree in early childhood education from
7 Wesleyan College in 2004. She received her master's degree in foundation of education from
8 Troy State University in 2005. She also received her doctorate from Mercer University in
9 curriculum and instruction in 2019; and

10 WHEREAS, she has received Teacher of the Year recognition from the four schools in which
11 she taught; and

12 WHEREAS, she published her first children's book in the spring of 2019 and is currently
13 writing a motivational book that chronicles her life experiences and that she hopes will be
14 completed this fall; and

15 WHEREAS, she is a true advocate for learning and has served as a classroom teacher, a
16 department chair, an instructional specialist, the curriculum director for Next Level
17 Development Center (an afterschool and summer program for at-risk youth), a
18 teacher-leader and academic coach, and a co-writer for federal grants to obtain funds in the
19 field of education; and

20 WHEREAS, Dr. Angela Faye Rodgers' desires are to become an assistant principal of
21 instruction or assistant principal of discipline to make a positive impact on the lives of
22 students, families, and the teaching profession; and

23 WHEREAS, in recognition of such remarkable contributions to the education and welfare
24 of Georgia's students, it is abundantly fitting and proper for this body to honor the
25 extraordinary accomplishments and academic achievements of this outstanding educator.

26 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
27 the members of this body commend Dr. Angela Faye Rodgers, East Clayton Elementary
28 School's 2019–2020 Teacher of the Year, and express their most sincere best wishes for
29 continued success.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
31 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Dr.
32 Angela Faye Rodgers.