House Resolution 1139

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 Nagi Eltayeb, Rex Mill Middle Stem School's 2019–2020 Teacher of the Year;

- 2 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 Nagi Eltayeb exemplifies the selfless dedication that is characteristic of our finest
- 5 teachers; and
- 6 WHEREAS, he was born in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia; his family moved to Khartoum, Sudan,

7 as refugees and later to the United States of America. He is the fourth of five children. Nagi

- 8 is trilingual in speaking Arabic, Amharic, and English fluently; and
- 9 WHEREAS, he graduated from Booker T. Washington High School in Atlanta, Georgia, in
- 10 May 2004 as a top ten percent student and Coca-Cola scholar athlete in football and soccer;
- 11 and

12 WHEREAS, in high school, he was in a gifted program called S.T.A.R academy (Students

with Teaching Careers and Academic Readiness), which led him to the field of education;and

- 15 WHEREAS, he received his undergraduate degree in accounting from Fort Valley State
- 16 University and recently attended Georgia College and State University, where he completed
- 17 a Master of Education in educational leadership; and
- 18 WHEREAS, he began his career with Comcast as a top executive sales agent and was19 promoted to the Xfinity marketing team, and then he worked for Google; and
- WHEREAS, in addition to being Teacher of the Year, Nagi Eltayeb serves as a disciplineleader and math department chair; and

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

25 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that

26 the members of this body commend Nagi Eltayeb, Rex Mill Middle Stem School's

- 27 2019–2020 Teacher of the Year and express their most sincere best wishes for continued
- 28 success.
- 29 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized

30 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Nagi

31 Eltayeb.