

House Resolution 1285

By: Representatives Taylor of the 92nd, Mitchell of the 88th, and Barnes of the 86th

A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating and commending E. Noreen Banks-Ware for receiving the 2024 Yellow Rose
2 Nikki T. Randall Servant Leader Award; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, in 1999, Representative Nikki T. Randall became the first African American
4 female elected to the General Assembly from middle Georgia, and over her 17 years of
5 service as a legislator, she held numerous leadership positions, including chair of the Georgia
6 Legislative Women's Caucus; and

7 WHEREAS, every year during Women's History Month, the Georgia Legislative Women's
8 Caucus recognizes outstanding women in Georgia who exemplify the leadership and
9 inspiration embodied by Representative Randall; and

10 WHEREAS, E. Noreen Banks-Ware is an experienced family law attorney who devotes
11 many hours of her time to pro bono services, especially to active military members and
12 veterans; and

13 WHEREAS, she has provided high-quality legal services for individuals and families in the
14 Metro Atlanta and DeKalb County community for nearly 30 years and is dedicated to helping
15 her clients work through difficult times and find a way to start fresh; and

16 WHEREAS, E. Noreen Banks-Ware has established a glowing reputation of renown
17 throughout Georgia for her deep personal commitment to the welfare of the citizens of
18 Georgia; and

19 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
20 extraordinary servant leader be appropriately recognized.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
22 the members of this body congratulate and commend E. Noreen Banks-Ware for receiving
23 the 2024 Yellow Rose Nikki T. Randall Servant Leader Award and extend best wishes for
24 her continued success.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
26 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to E.
27 Noreen Banks-Ware.