

House Resolution 289

By: Representative Williamson of the 115th

A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating and commending George Walton Academy and recognizing March 29, 2019,
2 as George Walton Academy Founders Day at the state capitol; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, George Walton Academy, an independent school organization, was
4 incorporated on March 26, 1969, originally consisting of a 12 person governing body known
5 as the Trustees, and this year it celebrates the 50th anniversary of its founding; and

6 WHEREAS, the first mission of the Academy was to provide a higher-quality and more
7 personalized education for students, and since its founding, 2,229 students have matriculated
8 and become community leaders at the local, state, national, and international levels; and

9 WHEREAS, George Walton Academy has established a glowing reputation of renown
10 throughout Georgia for its ability to meet its mission of providing challenging instruction,
11 engaging experiences, and global perspectives designed to inspire lives of intellectual
12 curiosity, integrity, and purpose; and

13 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments and
14 contributions of this extraordinary institution be appropriately recognized.

15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
16 the members of this body congratulate and commend George Walton Academy upon the 50th
17 anniversary of its founding and recognize March 29, 2019, as George Walton Academy
18 Founders Day at the state capitol.

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
20 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
21 George Walton Academy.