

## House Resolution 414

By: Representatives Efration of the 104<sup>th</sup>, Marin of the 96<sup>th</sup>, Lopez Romero of the 99<sup>th</sup>, Burns of the 159<sup>th</sup>, Hatchett of the 150<sup>th</sup>, and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending the Georgia Hispanic Chamber of Commerce; and for other  
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, established in 1984, the Georgia Hispanic Chamber of Commerce's (GHCC)  
4 primary focus is on business formation, business growth, and civic and leadership  
5 development and engagement; and

6 WHEREAS, the GHCC serves entrepreneurs and business owners through consultations,  
7 workshops, and seminars and partners with organizations such as the Small Business  
8 Development Center to bring quality programming to the Hispanic business community; and

9 WHEREAS, the chamber focuses on key strategic needs of the Hispanic business  
10 community, these five focuses are small business development, Latina business owners and  
11 professionals, young professionals and entrepreneurs, leadership, and political advocacy; and

12 WHEREAS, the GHCC currently has more than 1,300 members representing Hispanic  
13 businesses of every size and industry; and

14 WHEREAS, the GHCC serves as a commercial and civic bridge between the Latino and  
15 business communities of Georgia and is considered one of the largest Hispanic Chambers in  
16 the United States; and

17 WHEREAS, in 2018, the GHCC and the Georgia Chamber of Commerce launched a  
18 strategic partnership to promote inclusive economic growth and development; and

19 WHEREAS, the GHCC partners with numerous other chambers around the state helping to  
20 create collaboration, promoting a positive and growing business sector, and sponsoring  
21 numerous networking events each month; and

22 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that this outstanding Chamber of Commerce  
23 be appropriately recognized.

24 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
25 the members of this body recognize and commend the Georgia Hispanic Chamber of  
26 Commerce for more than 35 years of service to the State of Georgia, bridging the gap  
27 between the Latino and business communities, and promoting and developing small  
28 businesses in this state.

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 the  
31 Georgia Hispanic Chamber of Commerce.