

House Resolution 812

By: Representatives Ralston of the 7th, England of the 116th, Smith of the 70th, Burns of the 159th, Rhodes of the 120th, and Powell of the 32nd

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Representative Tom McCall on winning the first ever Elbert County Chamber
2 of Commerce's "Silver Plow Award"; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Representative McCall has proudly and humbly served in the Georgia General
4 Assembly for the last 25 years and is carrying on his family's history of public service that
5 dates back more than 75 years; and

6 WHEREAS, Representative McCall's grandfather, Thomas Francis "Bud" Kelley, served in
7 the Georgia House of Representatives from 1933-1937 and served in the Georgia Senate
8 from 1939-1941; and

9 WHEREAS, Representative McCall serves as Chairman of the House Agriculture and
10 Consumer Affairs Committee, which hears legislation that impacts Agriculture, the industry
11 with the largest economic impact to the State of Georgia; and

12 WHEREAS, the citizens of Elbert County are very appreciative of Chairman McCall's
13 devotion and deep personal commitment to his constituents, the people of Georgia, and the
14 field of agriculture; and

15 WHEREAS, Representative McCall has a loving support system including his wife Jane, and
16 his children and grandchildren, all of whom share his devotion to the constituents of the 33rd
17 District; and

18 WHEREAS, by his personal experience operating his family grain and livestock farm in
19 Elberton, Representative McCall has earned the steadfast devotion of Georgia's farmers; and

20 WHEREAS, in recognition of his long record of service, Representative McCall has received
21 numerous achievement and distinguished service awards from various groups for his
22 dedication to and promotion of Agriculture in the State of Georgia.

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
24 the members of this body commend Chairman Tom McCall on winning the Elbert County
25 Chamber of Commerce "Silver Plow Award" and for his 25 years of continued and dedicated
26 representation to the constituents of the 33rd District.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
28 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
29 Representative Tom McCall.