

## House Resolution 982

By: Representatives Pirkle of the 155<sup>th</sup>, Erwin of the 28<sup>th</sup>, Jasperse of the 11<sup>th</sup>, McCall of the 33<sup>rd</sup>, and England of the 116<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Remington Smith; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Remington Smith of Turner County earned recognition and distinction in 2019  
3 for his superb talents in the sport of shooting; and
- 4 WHEREAS, his months of training and competition have been rewarded with a number of  
5 wins, including the gold medal and national championship for his J3 Division at the National  
6 Junior Olympic Shooting Championships and the Summer Olympic Tails and Air Gun  
7 Games at Ft. Benning, the sub-junior gold medal and his fourth Georgia 4-H State  
8 Championship for Air Pistol at the Georgia 4-H State Shooting Sports Championships, the  
9 silver medal and a position on the National Junior Olympic Developmental Shooting Squat  
10 at the National Progressive Position Pistol Championships, the gold medal for the  
11 International Standing Position at the Hinds Memorial Matches, and the gold medal and  
12 national championship for his J3 Division at the Winter Olympic Trials and Air Gun Games,  
13 where he ranked fourth in the nation after competing in the finals; and
- 14 WHEREAS, in January 2020, Remington competed in the Georgia Junior Olympic Shooting  
15 Championship in Waycross, Georgia, earning an automatic qualification to compete in the  
16 National Junior Olympic Shooting Championships with a score of 555; and
- 17 WHEREAS, this stellar young man epitomizes the courage, determination, leadership, and  
18 character necessary to attain excellence in athletic prowess and performance; and
- 19 WHEREAS, Remington's many victories were the culmination of hard work and dedication,  
20 and his superior skill, strategy, stamina, and control have earned him the respect and  
21 admiration of his teammates and challengers; and

22 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the many achievements of this  
23 accomplished and gifted athlete, as well as the pride, honor, and respect he has brought to  
24 himself and his community, be appropriately recognized.

25 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
26 the members of this body recognize and commend Remington Smith for his well-deserved  
27 reputation for excellence and extend best wishes for continued success.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
29 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to  
30 Remington Smith.