

Senate Resolution 255

By: Senators Harbin of the 16th, Still of the 48th, Dugan of the 30th, Dixon of the 45th, Brass of the 28th and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring the life and memory of Mr. Lamar Eugene "Gene" Evans and dedicating an
2 intersection in his memory; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Mr. Lamar Eugene "Gene" Evans was born on March 22, 1945, a beloved son
4 of Claude Jackson and Eunice Kennedy Evans; and

5 WHEREAS, he dedicated innumerable hours of his time and energy toward his career as
6 owner of Great South Harley-Davidson® in Newnan, Georgia, which opened its doors on
7 May 4, 2007, and stands as one of the newest Harley-Davidson® dealerships in the
8 Southeast; and

9 WHEREAS, he was united in love and marriage to his wife, Linda, and was blessed with
10 three remarkable children, Sonya, Sherry, and Kevin; six wonderful grandchildren, Trenton,
11 Tyler, Toby, Hunter, Kinsey, and Madison; and two outstanding great-grandchildren, Noah
12 and Bentely; and

13 WHEREAS, he gave inspiration to many through his high ideals, morals, and deep concern
14 for his fellow citizens, and the devotion, patience, and understanding he demonstrated to his
15 family and friends were admired by others; and

16 WHEREAS, he was a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation
17 for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness, and by the example he made of his life, he
18 made this world a better place in which to live; and

19 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that this remarkable and distinguished
20 Georgian be appropriately recognized by dedicating an intersection in his memory.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ENACTED BY THE GENERAL
22 ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA that the intersection of State Route 16 and Newnan Crossing
23 Bypass is dedicated as the Gene Evans Memorial Intersection.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Transportation is authorized and
25 directed to erect and maintain appropriate signs dedicating the Gene Evans Memorial
26 Intersection.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
28 to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the family of
29 Mr. Lamar Eugene "Gene" Evans and to the Department of Transportation.