

**ACTS AND RESOLUTIONS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF  
GEORGIA 1952**

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BOONE BRIDGE — DESIGNATED.

No. 83 (House Resolution No. 205-810r).

A RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, history tells us that Jacob Boone settled near Toombsboro in 1802 and was the father of all the Boone clan in Wilkinson County; and

WHEREAS, twenty-two great-grandchildren, sons of Jacob Boone, now live in and near the vicinity of Toombsboro and near a certain bridge that is now being built across Commissioner Creek in the environs of Toombsboro, Georgia; and

WHEREAS, the wife of Jacob Boone was Sallie Franklin and Sallie Franklin was the daughter of Sallie Mercer, who was the sister of Jesse Mercer who founded Mercer University; and

WHEREAS, it is altogether fitting and proper that some honor should be rendered to the great founding couple, Jacob Boone and Sallie Franklin Boone.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that the new bridge across Commissioner Creek be designated as the "Boone Bridge" in memory and in honor of Jacob Boone and Sallie Franklin Boone.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the proper authorities are hereby authorized and directed to so name and designate said bridge and erect suitable markers thereon.

**Approval Date:** Approved February 13, 1952.