

**ACTS AND RESOLUTIONS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA 2022**

Act 855

Senate Resolution 596, Part XXXVIII

Effective May 9, 2022

**MAYOR'S BRIDGE — DESIGNATED.**

**A RESOLUTION**

Recognizing the mayors of Acworth and dedicating a bridge in their honor; and for other purposes.

WHEREAS, the mayors of Acworth, Georgia, have long demonstrated superior values based on community and infrastructure, growth, and vitality; and

WHEREAS, the City of Acworth has worked with the Georgia Department of Transportation for nearly 20 years on the improvements to Highway 92, a road which serves as a critical transportation artery for moving traffic between Northwest Cobb County along with rapidly growing Bartow and Paulding counties; and

WHEREAS, construction of the new bridge on Highway 92 over Lake Allatoona allows for the City of Acworth to transition the old roadbed into a multi-use pathway that will connect neighborhoods to the city's historic downtown and parks; and

WHEREAS, sidewalks along the project will assist in the implementation of the city-wide trail master plan by connecting existing and future trail networks; and

WHEREAS, the new bridge allows for the old roadbed to be utilized by recreators to access both Lake Acworth and Lake Allatoona for kayaking, canoeing, fishing, and cycling; and

WHEREAS, the road project and bridge will provide more effective and efficient traffic flow to reduce congestion, increase mobility, and encourage nonmotorized forms of transportation; and

WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that these remarkable and distinguished Georgians be recognized appropriately by dedicating a bridge in their honor.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA, that the bridge on SR-92 in Cobb County, over Lake Allatoona, is dedicated as the Mayor's Bridge.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Department of Transportation is authorized and directed to erect and maintain appropriate signs dedicating the Mayor's Bridge and remove any signs in order to effectuate the purpose of this Resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed to make appropriate copies of this Resolution available for distribution to the city of Acworth and to the Department of Transportation.

This Resolution shall become effective as law upon its approval by the Governor or upon its becoming law without such approval.

All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Resolution are repealed.