

**ACTS AND RESOLUTIONS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF
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JACK EUBANK MEMORIAL HIGHWAY — DESIGNATED.

No. 42 (House Resolution No. 112).

A RESOLUTION

Designating the Jack Eubank Memorial Highway; and for other purposes.

WHEREAS, Jackson Eugene Eubank, Sr., was born August 22, 1893, the son of John Augustus and Willie Jordan Eubank; and

WHEREAS, he attended Locust Grove Institute and, as a result of his strong belief in the value of a good education, he provided each of his nine children with the opportunity of receiving a college education; and

WHEREAS, by profession, he was a lumberman, cattleman, and a gentleman farmer; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Eubank was married to the former Fannie Mae Hunt and they were the proud parents of nine children and 21 grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Eubank served in the Georgia Senate in 1943-44, and authored the first school lunch bill enacted into law in this state; and

WHEREAS, he served on the Columbia County Board of Education for 48 years and the county's outstanding school system can be attributed to Mr. Eubank's leadership; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Eubank was a dedicated member of the Damascus Baptist Church where he served as a deacon and Sunday school teacher; and

WHEREAS, he was one of the organizers of the Augusta Farmers Market and the Augusta National Loan Association and was one of the founders of the Little River Soil Conservation District; and

WHEREAS, his contributions to his community and his faith, courage, and endurance to overcome obstacles were an inspiration to the people of Columbia County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA that State Highway 47 in Columbia County from its intersection with State Highway 150 to the Price Legg Bridge over the Little River shall be designated the Jack Eubank Memorial Highway.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Commissioner of Transportation is authorized and directed to place appropriate signs for this designation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of Mr. Jack Eubank.

Approval Date: Approved April 29, 1997.