

RESOLUTIONS BY THE STATE TRANSPORTATION BOARD OF GEORGIA 1998

Adopted January 15, 1998

GIL BARRETT HIGHWAY — DESIGNATED.

A RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Honorable Gill Barrett is not only a native son of Albany and Dougherty County, but a life-long stalwart in public service to his city, county, state, and nation; and

WHEREAS, he has served on the Dougherty County Commission since 1958, and as its Chairman since 1978; and

WHEREAS, he brought national and state recognition to Dougherty County by serving as President of the National Association of Counties in 1973 and the Association of County Commissioners of Georgia in 1981; and

WHEREAS, this dedicated public servant has received three Presidential Appointments to Federal Commissions, and has represented the transportation and other interests of county government before Congress and the Executive Branch; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Barrett served his country with the U.S. Army in Europe from 1943 to 1946; and

WHEREAS, despite his busy schedule of public service, his many civic activities have earned him awards and recognitions too numerous to list; and

WHEREAS, he has still found time to be a model husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather; and

WHEREAS, he has fostered good relations with our neighbors to the west by attending Auburn University.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE STATE TRANSPORTATION BOARD OF GEORGIA, that the portion of State Route 234, from North Slappey Drive, to State Route 55, be designated as the Gil Barrett Highway.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Commissioner of the Department of Transportation is authorized and directed to erect appropriate signing for this designation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this Resolution be spread upon the minutes of this meeting and that a copy be presented to Mr. Barrett.