

ACTS AND RESOLUTIONS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA 2010

Act 434

House Resolution 1513, Part VII

Effective May 24, 2010

H. G. "T" FULCHER MEMORIAL BRIDGE — DESIGNATED.

A RESOLUTION

Dedicating certain portions of the state highway system; and for other purposes.

WHEREAS, on November 15, 1903, Harry Garrett Fulcher, nicknamed "T" by his family, was born in McBean, Georgia, to Benjamin Gilbert Fulcher and Maryam Meyer Fulcher; and

WHEREAS, "T" worked as a kiln operator at the Babcock & Wilcox Plant for 30 years where his wife, Ostelle, also worked as a secretary. They married in 1935 and were blessed with two children, Susan and Garrett; and

WHEREAS, in 1946, at Miller's Pond, "T" and Ostelle opened T's Restaurant in McBean; and

WHEREAS, "T" possessed a unique combination of love for people and of fishing, and this was a perfect recipe for an outstanding seafood restaurant. "T" and Ostelle's devotion to this restaurant created a loyal following, and in 1952, they built T's Seafood Restaurant at its present location; and

WHEREAS, "T" and Ostelle passed away in 1983, but the Fulcher family has been proud to carry on the family tradition of great food and Southern hospitality for over 57 years; and

WHEREAS, it is only fitting and proper to dedicate a bridge in honor of "T" Fulcher and his outstanding contributions to the quality of life in Richmond County, Georgia.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA, that the members of this body hereby join in honoring the life and service of "T" Fulcher and designate the bridge on SR-56 in Richmond County, over I-520, as the H. G. "T" Fulcher Memorial Bridge.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Department of Transportation is authorized and directed to erect and maintain appropriate signs dedicating the road facilities named in this Resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized and directed to transmit appropriate copies of this Resolution to the Department of Transportation and the family of H. G. "T" Fulcher.