A RESOLUTION

Commending and congratulating Dipen Mehta upon receiving a 2020 Prudential Spirit of Community Award; and for other purposes.

WHEREAS, Dipen, an esteemed resident of Marietta, Georgia, and a senior at Riverwood International Charter School, has achieved national recognition and has been honored with a 2020 Prudential Spirit of Community Award for his exemplary volunteer service; and

WHEREAS, this prestigious award, presented by Prudential Financial in partnership with the National Association of Secondary School Principals, honors young volunteers across America who have demonstrated an extraordinary commitment to serving their communities; and

WHEREAS, Dipen earned this award by giving generously of his time and energy to founding a nonprofit organization in 2017 that now encompasses more than 100 young people in several states and overseas who are working to improve the lives of children in need, particularly in the areas of nutrition, sanitation, and education; and

WHEREAS, the success of the State of Georgia, the strength of our communities, and the overall vitality of American society depend, in great measure, upon the dedication of young people like Dipen who choose to use their considerable talents and resources to serve others.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that the members of this body commend Dipen Mehta for his outstanding record of volunteer service, peer leadership, and community spirit and congratulate him upon receiving a 2020 Prudential Spirit of Community Award.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Dipen Mehta.