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Rep. Stovall to Recognize Mrs. Maggie Katie Brown Kidd at the State Capitol

ATLANTA – State Representative Valencia Stovall (D-Forest Park) will lead the Georgia House of Representatives in honoring Mrs. Maggie Katie Brown Kidd, the oldest living Georgian, with House Resolution 41 on **Monday, March 25, 2019, in the House Chamber at the State Capitol in Atlanta.**

Mrs. Kidd was recognized as being the oldest living Georgian in 2016, and she was also named the oldest living African American in the United States in 2017. Mrs. Kidd was recently declared the tenth oldest living person in the world by the Baylor College of Medicine-Huffington Center on Aging. She was born on December 8, 1904, in Oglethorpe County, Georgia and recently enjoyed the distinction of celebrating her 114th birthday. She has been deputized as an honorary sheriff, bestowed with a room dedication at the Frank Bailey Senior Center in Clayton County, appeared on television numerous times and served as the Grand Marshal in the City of Riverdale's 2017 Christmas Parade.

“Mrs. Kidd represents history and wisdom, and it is rare to be in the presence of someone on the same day who symbolizes both of these qualities,” said Rep. Stovall. “I am humbled and excited to recognize my constituent at the State Capitol.”

For more information about HR 41, please click [here](#).

WHO: Rep. Valencia Stovall (D-Forest Park)

WHAT: Invitation Resolution Honoring Mrs. Maggie Katie Brown Kidd

WHEN: Monday, March 25, 2019

WHERE: Georgia State Capitol
House Chamber
206 Washington St SW
Atlanta, GA 30334