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H.R. No. 61

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Alexander R. Kalota is retiring from the Mesquite  
2 Police Department on July 31, 2021, after 38 years of exemplary  
3 service; and

4           WHEREAS, In the course of his tenure, Officer Kalota has  
5 served the Mesquite PD as a patrol officer with the operations  
6 bureau, as a field training officer, and as a burglary and theft  
7 investigator; and

8           WHEREAS, Respected and admired by his fellow officers, this  
9 esteemed first responder has earned numerous accolades and  
10 commendations over the years, including two Life Saving Awards and  
11 a Field Training Officer of the Year award as well as a Civic  
12 Achievement Award from the Mesquite Chamber of Commerce; and

13           WHEREAS, In all his endeavors, Officer Kalota has enjoyed the  
14 love and support of his wife, Lesa Kalota, and he takes great pride  
15 in his stepsons, Cameron and Sterling Cooper; and

16           WHEREAS, For nearly four decades, Alexander Kalota has  
17 exemplified the highest ideals of the law enforcement profession  
18 and contributed immeasurably to the safety and well-being of  
19 Mesquite residents, and he may indeed reflect with pride on his  
20 notable record of achievement; now, therefore, be it

21           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas  
22 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby congratulate Alexander  
23 R. Kalota on his retirement from the Mesquite Police Department and  
24 extend to him sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

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1           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
2 prepared for Officer Kalota as an expression of high regard by the  
3 Texas House of Representatives.