

By: Reynolds

H.R. No. 71

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Bridgette Smith-Lawson was elected as Fort Bend  
2 County attorney in November 2020; and

3           WHEREAS, Bringing a wealth of knowledge and expertise to her  
4 new role, Ms. Smith-Lawson previously served as the managing  
5 attorney for the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services  
6 Office of General Counsel; she began her career with that agency as  
7 a regional attorney assigned to Adult Protective Services and later  
8 worked with Child Protective Services; before joining DFPS, she  
9 practiced private law; and

10          WHEREAS, Dedicated to serving her community,  
11 Ms. Smith-Lawson is actively involved with many civic  
12 organizations, and in 2019 she was honored as one of the Top 30  
13 Influential Women of Houston; she holds a political science degree  
14 from the University of Houston and graduated cum laude from the  
15 Thurgood Marshall School of Law in 2003; and

16          WHEREAS, Bridgette Smith-Lawson's dedication,  
17 professionalism, and commitment to public service have greatly  
18 benefited her fellow Texans, and she may indeed reflect with pride  
19 on her contributions as she takes on the challenges and  
20 opportunities of her new position; now, therefore, be it

21          RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas  
22 Legislature hereby congratulate Bridgette Smith-Lawson on her  
23 election as Fort Bend County attorney and extend to her sincere best  
24 wishes for a successful tenure; and, be it further

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