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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, David Crow concluded his tenure as president of the
2 International Association of Fire Fighters Local No. 1329 in
3 Arlington in 2020, and he is indeed deserving of recognition for his
4 outstanding record of service to the organization; and

5 WHEREAS, A member of the IAFF since April 1, 1990, Mr. Crow
6 became vice president of Local No. 1329 in 2000, and he was elected
7 president two years later; and

8 WHEREAS, During his many years at the helm of the
9 organization, Mr. Crow worked to bring meet and confer agreements
10 to the city of Arlington, including an agreement that added
11 promoted positions to the Arlington Fire Department, and he was
12 instrumental in acquiring third-party arbitration for members of
13 the union, which has helped give them due process when facing
14 disciplinary action; moreover, the union moved to a new building,
15 which it acquired under his leadership; and

16 WHEREAS, Mr. Crow was also one of the first district
17 legislative agents for the Texas State Association of Fire
18 Fighters, and he played a key role in developing the Texas Municipal
19 Retirement System advisory committee, designed to provide guidance
20 to the organization's trustees on matters relating to the pension
21 plans of thousands of Texas firefighters; and

22 WHEREAS, Through his inspiring leadership and his tireless
23 dedication, David Crow has benefited area firefighters and their
24 families in countless ways, and he may indeed reflect with pride on

1 a career well spent as he embarks on the next exciting chapter of
2 his life; now, therefore, be it

3 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas
4 Legislature hereby congratulate David Crow on his retirement as
5 president of the International Association of Fire Fighters Local
6 No. 1329 in Arlington and extend to him sincere best wishes for
7 continued success and happiness; and, be it further

8 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
9 prepared for Mr. Crow as an expression of high regard by the Texas
10 House of Representatives.