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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Milton Y. Tate Jr. is stepping down as mayor of 2 Brenham in 2023, drawing to a close two decades of dedicated service
- 3 to the city; and
- WHEREAS, Mr. Tate first became mayor in September 2003, when
- 5 he completed the unexpired term of the late Walter Schwartz, and he
- 6 was elected to his first full term in 2005; demonstrating strong
- 7 leadership over the course of his tenure, he has ably guided the
- 8 city's growth and served his fellow citizens with distinction; and
- 9 WHEREAS, In addition to his responsibilities as mayor,
- 10 Mr. Tate has enjoyed a successful legal career; he has worked in
- 11 private practice and previously served as county attorney for
- 12 Washington County and as city attorney for the City of Brenham; over
- 13 the years, he has given generously of his time and talents to the
- 14 Brenham Rotary Club and several organizations affiliated with The
- 15 University of Texas; moreover, he is a former member of the board of
- 16 directors of the Lower Colorado River Authority, the
- 17 Brenham/Washington County Economic Development Organization, and
- 18 Trinity Medical Center; he holds a bachelor's degree in business
- 19 administration from UT, and he is a 1963 graduate of the UT School
- 20 of Law; and
- 21 WHEREAS, In all his endeavors, Mr. Tate enjoys the love and
- 22 support of a fine family that includes his wife, Twila, and their
- 23 daughters and grandchildren; and
- 24 WHEREAS, Milton Tate has greatly benefited the residents of

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- 1 Brenham through his visionary leadership, expertise, and
- 2 commitment to excellence, and he may indeed reflect with pride on
- 3 his many contributions as he begins the next exciting chapter of his
- 4 life; now, therefore, be it
- 5 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas
- 6 Legislature hereby commend Milton Y. Tate Jr. on his service as
- 7 mayor of Brenham and extend to him sincere best wishes for the
- 8 future; and, be it further
- 9 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 10 prepared for Mr. Tate as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 11 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1709 was adopted by the House on May 25, 2023, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House