

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Edna Staudt retired as justice of the peace for  
2 Precinct 2 of Williamson County at the end of 2022, concluding a  
3 noteworthy tenure that spanned 28 years in that office; and

4           WHEREAS, First elected in 1994, Judge Staudt demonstrated  
5 exceptional skill and dedication in her responsibilities, and she  
6 worked tirelessly to set young people on a productive path; in 1996,  
7 she established a youth mentoring program that has since involved  
8 hundreds of volunteers; she partnered with the Twin Lakes Family  
9 YMCA in the development of a teen court, which has allowed thousands  
10 of youngsters to learn about the court system and the important  
11 roles of attorneys, clerks, judges, and bailiffs; moreover, she  
12 served as a member of the Williamson County Bail Bond Board and the  
13 Central Texas Justices of the Peace and Constables Association,  
14 which named her Judge of the Year; the county also named a  
15 leadership award in her honor; and

16           WHEREAS, Judge Staudt has given generously of her time and  
17 talents to myriad civic and charitable organizations, among them  
18 the National Day of Prayer, Safe & Drug Free School Committee, Twin  
19 Lakes YMCA Advisory Board, and Leadership Circle-Texas Alliance for  
20 Life; in addition, she has been very involved in Republican Party  
21 politics, serving in such capacities as precinct chair, election  
22 judge, senatorial district convention chair, and Republican State  
23 Convention delegate; she has been a volunteer and coordinator for  
24 campaigns at the local, state, and national level, and she is a

1 cofounder of Leander Area Republican Women; named Cedar Park  
2 Citizen of the Year, she is the recipient of numerous accolades,  
3 including the Williamson County Republican Leaders Leadership  
4 Award, Glenn Shepard Servant Leadership Award, and Hill Country  
5 Community Ministries Heart of Hope Award; and

6 WHEREAS, Before embarking on her long career in public  
7 service, Judge Staudt was a real estate mortgage broker and  
8 entrepreneur; she and her husband are the parents of six children,  
9 and their family further includes their 12 grandchildren; a member  
10 of the Williamson County Cowboy Church, Judge Staudt serves on the  
11 music ministry team; and

12 WHEREAS, Edna Staudt has greatly benefited the citizens of  
13 Williamson County through her wide-ranging contributions, and her  
14 accomplishments will continue to resonate in the years to come;  
15 now, therefore, be it

16 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas  
17 Legislature hereby congratulate the Honorable Edna Staudt on her  
18 retirement as justice of the peace for Precinct 2 of Williamson  
19 County and extend to her sincere best wishes for continued  
20 happiness; and, be it further

21 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
22 prepared for Judge Staudt as an expression of high regard by the  
23 Texas House of Representatives.

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H.R. No. 2239

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2239 was adopted by the House on May 29, 2023, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House