

By: Capelo

H.R. No. 159

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Becky Kitching Moeller of Corpus Christi has been
2 elected secretary-treasurer of the Texas AFL-CIO, becoming the
3 first female officer ever chosen by the organization; and

4 WHEREAS, Active in the labor movement since 1967, when she
5 joined Communication Workers of America Local 6137 in Corpus
6 Christi, Ms. Moeller has served her local union in a variety of
7 positions through the years, including job steward, chief steward,
8 executive board member, vice president, and secretary-treasurer,
9 and as its president since 1999; and

10 WHEREAS, Ms. Moeller's work at the regional and state levels
11 is equally impressive; she enjoyed a productive tenure as president
12 of the Coastal Bend Labor Council, has been a valued member of the
13 Texas AFL-CIO Executive Board, and also chaired the Texas AFL-CIO
14 Scholarship Committee; and

15 WHEREAS, Appointed by Governor Ann Richards to serve as chair
16 of the commission overseeing the Texas Department of Licensing and
17 Regulation, she has also worked to benefit her fellow citizens as a
18 member of the United Way Board of Governors and the Corpus Christi
19 Workforce Development Board; and

20 WHEREAS, In addition, Ms. Moeller has been active in the
21 political process through her longtime role as precinct chair of
22 the Nueces County Democratic Party and her participation in
23 numerous voter registration drives; and

24 WHEREAS, Deeply devoted to her family, Ms. Moeller takes

1 great pleasure in the relationship she shares with her daughter,
2 Kristie, her step-daughter, Misty, and her grandchildren, Taylor,
3 Taryn, and Savannah; and

4 WHEREAS, Ms. Moeller's remarkable contributions to organized
5 labor in the State of Texas are an inspiration to all who know her,
6 and it is most appropriate that she be honored at this time; now,
7 therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas
9 Legislature, 2nd Called Session, hereby congratulate Becky
10 Kitching Moeller on her election as secretary-treasurer of the
11 Texas AFL-CIO and extend to her sincere best wishes for success in
12 her new post; and, be it further

13 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
14 prepared for Ms. Moeller as an expression of high regard by the
15 Texas House of Representatives.