SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 40

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize LaRea Miller for her outstanding contributions to the Democratic Party of Van Zandt County; and

WHEREAS, LaRea Miller is a native of Myrtle Springs, where she continues to reside; she graduated from Wills Point High School in 1955; in 1956 she started working for the Sanders and Sanford Law Firm, now called Sanders and Sanders, and although she officially retired in 2000, she continues to work there part-time; and

WHEREAS, An exemplary citizen of Myrtle Springs, LaRea is one of the original trustees of the Myrtle Springs Alumni Association and currently serves as its secretary-treasurer; and

WHEREAS, LaRea has worked tirelessly for the Democratic Party of Van Zandt County as a volunteer and organizer for years and has helped organize fund-raising events and numerous other party functions; she became secretary-treasurer in 1997 and also serves as precinct chair; and

WHEREAS, Through her diligence and hard work, LaRea has helped to assure the election of many fellow Democrats to local, state, and national offices; and

WHEREAS, A highly respected leader, LaRea Miller has demonstrated her commitment to the important role of civic participation in a democratic society; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 78th Legislature, 4th Called Session, hereby commend LaRea Miller for her outstanding contributions to the Democratic Party of Van Zandt County and extend best wishes to her for the future; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for her as an expression of esteem from the Texas Senate.

Van de Putte

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 3, 2004.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate