

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 99

**WHEREAS**, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize the first Law Enforcement Ceremony in Big Spring, Texas, which is taking place on May 12, 2004; and

**WHEREAS**, The first Law Enforcement Ceremony is occurring in conjunction with National Law Enforcement Week; this special week was established by President John Fitzgerald Kennedy in 1962 to honor law enforcement officers for their outstanding dedication to making our country safe and to pay tribute to those who have lost their lives in the line of duty; and

**WHEREAS**, The people of Big Spring are holding this special ceremony to demonstrate their appreciation of the critically important public safety work to which peace officers dedicate themselves; and

**WHEREAS**, Law enforcement officers bring courage and high moral principles to their responsibilities as they face unique challenges and dangerous situations each day in carrying out their duties; and

**WHEREAS**, These officers are exceptional men and women, and the first Law Enforcement Ceremony in Big Spring provides the opportunity to acknowledge their dedicated service to the public; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 78th Legislature, 4th Called Session, hereby commend law enforcement officers in the Lone Star State and throughout our nation for their devoted service and join the citizens of Big Spring in paying tribute to such outstanding public servants; and, be it further

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

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 6, 2004.

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Secretary of the Senate

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Member, Texas Senate