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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Judy Richards, a former member of the Duncanville 2 City Council, has worked untiringly for the betterment of her

3 community and the State of Texas; and

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WHEREAS, Ms. Richards shared her time, energy, and expertise with the Duncanville citizenry as a dedicated member of the city council from May 1996 to May 2002; she was also selected to serve two terms as mayor pro tempore, from 1997 to 1998 and again from 2000 to 2001; and

WHEREAS, Major undertakings completed during her tenure on the council include construction of the Duncanville Library/Community Center and the Dr Pepper Stars Center, as well as the renovation of Lake Side Park and Lions Park; the community was further enhanced through new signs at the city limits and through grants for landscape and paint projects; moreover, Ms. Richards testified on numerous occasions before committees of the Texas House of Representatives and Senate on issues of concern to the state's municipalities; and

WHEREAS, Highly regarded by her colleagues and fellow citizens, Ms. Richards has been a valued member of the Duncanville Historical Society, the Duncanville Chamber of Commerce, and Best Southwest, a partnership of the Duncanville and other area chambers; and

23 WHEREAS, The residents of Duncanville have been truly 24 enriched by the knowledgeable and energetic leadership of this

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- 1 esteemed public servant, and it is indeed a privilege to honor her
- 2 at this time; now, therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas
- 4 Legislature hereby commend the Honorable Judy Richards on her fine
- 5 tenure as a member of the Duncanville City Council and on her
- 6 continued commitment to her community and extend to her sincere
- 7 best wishes for success and happiness in the years ahead; and, be it
- 8 further
- 9 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 10 prepared for Ms. Richards as an expression of high regard by the
- 11 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 206 was adopted by the House on March 28, 2003, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House