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## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, It is indeed a pleasure to honor the Reverend Ronald
L. Richardson for his 20 years of committed work at First Baptist

3 Church of Hurst; and

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WHEREAS, This esteemed clergyman has persevered tirelessly in behalf of his faith, and he serves as a worthy role model for the members of his congregation; he has been instrumental in enhancing the church's physical plant during several major expansion projects during his tenure, and his God-given talents as a preacher, educator, and administrator bring a richness to the experience of worship at the church home that he leads; and

11 WHEREAS, Reverend Richardson warmly welcomes those 12 individuals in need of his guidance and counsel, and he comforts the 13 distressed and aids the needy with the utmost compassion and 14 resolve; and

WHEREAS, In all his endeavors, this man of faith undoubtedly derives great inspiration and support from having his devoted wife, Carolyn, at his side; and

WHEREAS, Reverend Richardson has been a blessing in the lives of a great many people during his years of dedicated service to his church and community, and he remains a steadfast source of strength and hope to all who know him; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas Legislature hereby honor the Reverend Ronald L. Richardson on the occasion of his 20th anniversary at First Baptist Church of Hurst

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- 1 and extend to him best wishes for the future; and, be it further
- 2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 3 prepared for Reverend Richardson as an expression of high regard by
- 4 the Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 963 was adopted by the House on April 30, 2003, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House