

By: Harper-Brown

H.R. No. 1651

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Susan Elizabeth Skaggs of Irving, director of civic  
2 affairs, Dallas Cowboys Football Club, and Special Events Director,  
3 Texas Stadium Corporation, is a dedicated leader who has long  
4 played an active role in making her community a better place to  
5 live, work, and raise a family; and

6           WHEREAS, Involved with the marketing of Texas Stadium events  
7 and tours, Ms. Skaggs has helped to promote this venerable venue  
8 that brings more than \$400 million to the city of Irving each year;  
9 she has helped to develop and implement important corporate  
10 citizenship programs for the Dallas Cowboys, one of which received  
11 an Irving Academy of Community Service Award while under her  
12 guidance; and

13           WHEREAS, The efforts of Ms. Skaggs extend to a number of  
14 charitable groups in the community, including The Salvation Army,  
15 where she has served as a member of the advisory board and on the  
16 fund-raising committee, the nominating committee, and the child  
17 development committee; she especially enjoys the organization's  
18 annual Super Lunch, a Christmas luncheon for 500 underwritten by  
19 the Dallas Cowboys and hosted by the Gene and Jerry Jones family  
20 that has raised more than \$1.3 million to date; and

21           WHEREAS, This notable Texan also serves on the board of  
22 directors for the Irving Family Advocacy Center, the Irving  
23 Symphony Orchestra Association, and the Dallas/Fort Worth Area  
24 Tourism Council; an active member of the Junior League since 1990,

1 she has organized projects related to health issues through  
2 Parkland Hospital and the Children's Medical Center of Dallas, and  
3 has served as project chairman for Social Services with Irving  
4 C.A.R.E.S.; and

5 WHEREAS, Ms. Skaggs is a tireless force in the area of  
6 community service and has consistently placed a priority on the  
7 needs of her fellow citizens; a true friend to the Irving community,  
8 she is indeed deserving of special recognition; now, therefore, be  
9 it

10 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas  
11 Legislature hereby commend Susan Elizabeth Skaggs for her  
12 outstanding service to the city of Irving and extend to her sincere  
13 best wishes for continued success; and, be it further

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