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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, August 31, 2005, marks the retirement of R. T.

Bridges as Quitman city secretary after 14 years of outstanding

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WHEREAS, A graduate of Quitman High School, Mr. Bridges has

spent the greater part of his life in his beloved hometown, where he

6 has lived continuously since 1970; and

7 WHEREAS, Mr. Bridges brought the experience he gained during

his career with Butler Paper Company in Tyler to his work as city

secretary, and his considerable knowledge and expertise have been

invaluable to his colleagues in public service; and

11 WHEREAS, Throughout his career, he has enjoyed the support of

his loving family, which includes his daughter and son-in-law,

Tanya and Don Weems, and his grandsons, Jody and Josh; and

14 WHEREAS, Those individuals who give generously of their time

and talents in behalf of their fellow Texans are truly worthy of our

16 respect and admiration, and in dedicating himself to the worthwhile

work of civic governance for the past 14 years, R. T. Bridges has

distinguished himself as one such individual; now, therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas

Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby congratulate R. T. Bridges

on the occasion of his retirement from the City of Quitman and

22 extend to him sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

23 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

24 prepared for Mr. Bridges as an expression of high regard by the

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1 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 248 was adopted by the House on July 19, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House