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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Leonard Carmack is retiring as chief of the Euless

Police Department on August 31, 2006, concluding an impressive

3 31-year career in law enforcement; and

WHEREAS, Before joining the Euless Police Department six

years ago, Chief Carmack was a member of the Irving Police

Department; the U.S. Air Force veteran signed on with the Irving

7 department in 1975 and rose through the ranks before retiring as

8 assistant chief of police after 25 years of service; and

9 WHEREAS, During his outstanding tenure in Euless, Chief

Carmack has endeavored to promote a strong sense of community among

the department's officers, a feeling he sought to re-create from

12 his early days with the Irving police force; and

WHEREAS, Chief Carmack has ably helped to safeguard the lives

14 and property of his fellow citizens for more than three decades, and

15 his well-deserved retirement will offer him the opportunity to

16 travel with his beloved wife, Joyce, and to look back with pride on

17 all he has achieved over the course of his notable career; now,

18 therefore, be it

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

Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby congratulate Chief Leonard

21 Carmack on his retirement from the Euless Police Department and

commend him for his longtime service as a law enforcement officer in

23 Texas; and, be it further

24 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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- 1 prepared for Chief Carmack as an expression of high regard by the
- 2 Texas House of Representatives.