

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Tom Jones of Fort Worth has distinguished himself as  
2 an asset to the electrical industry, to his community, and to the  
3 State of Texas; and

4           WHEREAS, The executive director of the Independent  
5 Electrical Contractors Fort Worth/Tarrant County Chapter since  
6 1977, Mr. Jones was instrumental in the creation of the state  
7 organization, serving as its executive director from 1977 to 1998;  
8 and

9           WHEREAS, For almost three decades, he has represented the  
10 interests of electrical contractors, electricians, and the  
11 electrical construction industry and has shared his expertise with  
12 the legislature regarding such measures as the Texas Electrical  
13 Safety and Licensing Act in 2003; and

14           WHEREAS, Mr. Jones is also a strong advocate of professional  
15 apprenticeship and training programs, and since 1998 he has served  
16 on the Apprenticeship and Training Advisory Committee of the Texas  
17 Council on Workforce and Economic Competitiveness; and

18           WHEREAS, A Mason, a life member and former president of  
19 Moslah Shrine Patrol, and an active member of the Fort Worth  
20 Jaycees, Mr. Jones gives generously of his time and talent in behalf  
21 of the greater good as a caring volunteer in his community; and

22           WHEREAS, In all his endeavors, he enjoys the support of his  
23 family, including his wife, Diana; his sons, Jeff and Jim; his  
24 stepson, Brian; and his grandchildren, Dylan and Aaron; and

1           WHEREAS, Tom Jones has earned the lasting admiration of his  
2 peers for the positive impact he made through his professional and  
3 civic endeavors; now, therefore, be it

4           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas  
5 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby commend Tom Jones of Fort  
6 Worth for his many contributions to his community; and, be it  
7 further

8           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
9 prepared for Mr. Jones as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
10 House of Representatives.

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H.R. No. 524

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 524 was adopted by the House on May 12, 2006, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House