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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Ron Robinson retired from his position as president
2 of the Richardson Chamber of Commerce in August 2004, bringing to a
3 close an exceptional tenure with the organization that spanned
4 nearly two decades; and

5 WHEREAS, This notable Texan also left his positions as
6 president of the Metroplex Technology Business Council and the
7 Richardson Economic Development Partnership, two groups he served
8 with great distinction; fortunately for area residents, Mr.
9 Robinson has continued to lend his expertise as a part-time
10 consultant for the City of Richardson; and

11 WHEREAS, Highly instrumental in the success of the Telecom
12 Corridor, Mr. Robinson worked hard to secure Richardson's place in
13 the international high-tech community, helping to promote economic
14 development and build strong and lasting relationships with
15 companies both inside and outside the city limits; and

16 WHEREAS, Not only a champion of Richardson's business
17 community, Mr. Robinson also made invaluable contributions to the
18 educational community as a member of the executive education
19 advisory council of The University of Texas at Dallas; in this
20 important role, he encouraged the school to extend its public
21 reach, helping the institution become a national presence among
22 colleges and universities; and

23 WHEREAS, Ron Robinson has set a sterling example of
24 leadership to which all may aspire, and his visionary efforts will

1 undoubtedly continue to benefit Richardson for years to come; now,
2 therefore, be it

3 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
4 Legislature hereby congratulate Ron Robinson on his retirement as
5 president of the Richardson Chamber of Commerce and extend to him
6 sincere best wishes for continued success and happiness; and, be it
7 further

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