

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Chief Henry "Hank" Stokes Howell, Jr., has retired  
2 from the Missouri City Police Department, drawing to a close an  
3 outstanding 27-year tenure on the force; and

4           WHEREAS, Hired on April 1, 1977, Chief Howell served as a SWAT  
5 member, public safety officer, and field training officer before  
6 rising through the ranks of sergeant, criminal investigator, and  
7 patrol division lieutenant; in 1989, he made captain, and he was  
8 promoted to assistant chief of police in 1992, acting chief in 1993,  
9 and then chief of police in 1994; and

10           WHEREAS, For nearly three decades, Chief Howell has served  
11 the city of Missouri City with integrity and dedication, earning  
12 the lasting respect of all who have been privileged to work with  
13 him, and he truly merits special recognition for his notable career  
14 in law enforcement; now, therefore, be it

15           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas  
16 Legislature hereby congratulate Chief Henry Stokes Howell, Jr., on  
17 his retirement from the Missouri City Police Department and extend  
18 to him best wishes for continued happiness; and, be it further

19           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
20 prepared for Chief Howell as an expression of high regard by the  
21 Texas House of Representatives.

Howard

Craddick	Geren	Menendez
Allen of Harris	Giddings	Merritt
Allen of Dallas	Gonzales	Miller
Alonzo	Gonzalez Toureilles	Moreno of Harris
Anchia	Goodman	Moreno of El Paso
Anderson	Goolsby	Morrison
Bailey	Griggs	Mowery
Baxter	Grusendorf	Naishtat
Berman	Guillen	Nixon
Blake	Haggerty	Noriega
Bohac	Hamilton	Oliveira
Bonnen	Hamric	Olivo
Branch	Hardcastle	Orr
Brown of Kaufman	Harper-Brown	Otto
Brown of Brazos	Hartnett	Paxton
Burnam	Hegar	Pena
Callegari	Herrero	Phillips
Campbell	Hilderbran	Pickett
Casteel	Hill	Pitts
Castro	Hochberg	Puente
Chavez	Hodge	Quintanilla
Chisum	Homer	Raymond
Coleman	Hope	Reyna
Cook of Navarro	Hopson	Riddle
Cook of Colorado	Howard	Ritter
Corte	Hughes	Rodriguez
Crabb	Hunter	Rose
Crownover	Hupp	Seaman
Davis of Harris	Isett	Smith of Tarrant
Davis of Dallas	Jackson	Smith of Harris
Dawson	Jones of Lubbock	Smithee
Delisi	Jones of Dallas	Solis
Denny	Keel	Solomons
Deshotel	Keffer of Dallas	Strama
Driver	Keffer of Eastland	Straus
Dukes	King of Parker	Swinford
Dunnam	King of Zavala	Talton
Dutton	Kolkhorst	Taylor
Edwards	Krusee	Thompson
Eiland	Kuempel	Truitt
Eissler	Laney	Turner
Elkins	Laubenberg	Uresti
Escobar	Leibowitz	Van Arsdale
Farabee	Luna	Veasey
Farrar	Madden	Villarreal
Flores	Martinez	Vo
Flynn	Martinez Fischer	West
Frost	McCall	Wong
Gallego	McClendon	Woolley
Gattis	McReynolds	Zedler

H.R. No. 134

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 134 was adopted by the House on March 1, 2005, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House