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H.R. No. 170

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Jerry Retzloff of Live Oak County has been named  
2 Volunteer of the Year for 2005 by the Three Rivers Chamber of  
3 Commerce; and

4           WHEREAS, For many years, Mr. Retzloff has given freely of his  
5 time, booking bands for the Brush Country Jamboree Music Show, a  
6 monthly event that raises scholarship money for local students; he  
7 also has helped to recruit musicians for the "Stars of the Brush  
8 Country Jamboree" at the annual Three Rivers Salsa Festival; and

9           WHEREAS, In addition to these worthy endeavors, Mr. Retzloff  
10 has lent his talents to his church, Our Savior Lutheran Church,  
11 served as secretary of the Ray Point Community Center and the Ray  
12 Point Lutheran Cemetery Association, and served as a director of  
13 the El Oso Water Supply Corporation; and

14           WHEREAS, This native Texan graduated from Texas A&M  
15 University and served in the U.S. Army in Vietnam; since 1994, he  
16 has been an accountant with the Texas Department of Criminal  
17 Justice's McConnell Unit prison in Beeville; and

18           WHEREAS, With his generous spirit and readiness to serve,  
19 Jerry Retzloff has made a true difference in the lives of many  
20 residents of Live Oak County, and his dedication and compassion are  
21 an inspiration to all who know him; now, therefore, be it

22           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas  
23 Legislature hereby honor Jerry Retzloff on being named Volunteer of  
24 the Year for 2005 by the Three Rivers Chamber of Commerce and

1 commend him for his efforts in behalf of his community; and, be it  
2 further

3           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
4 prepared for Mr. Retzloff as an expression of high regard by the  
5 Texas House of Representatives.