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H.R. No. 792

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, After serving three years as deputy city manager and
2 21 years as assistant city manager, J. Rolando Bono of San Antonio
3 was named interim city manager in October 2004; and

4 WHEREAS, In his new role as interim city manager, Mr. Bono is
5 responsible for the administration of a full-service municipal
6 government, the management of a consolidated budget of more than
7 \$1.5 billion, and the supervision of all city departments and more
8 than 12,000 employees; and

9 WHEREAS, This esteemed professional has overseen nearly
10 every city departmental function during his career; as deputy city
11 manager, he provided oversight for the aviation, economic
12 development, international affairs, enterprise resource
13 management, and information technology departments; before joining
14 the city, he was executive director of the Community Housing
15 Development Corporation in San Antonio and rehabilitation director
16 of the Community Development Corporation in Brownsville; and

17 WHEREAS, A native of Mercedes in the Rio Grande Valley, Mr.
18 Bono earned his master's degree in urban studies from Trinity
19 University and his bachelor's degree in government and sociology
20 from Texas A&M University at Kingsville; he holds numerous
21 professional memberships, including the International City-County
22 Management Association (ICMA), the Hispanic Network of ICMA, and
23 the Texas City Management Association; and his commitment to
24 community organizations such as the Boy Scouts of America and

1 United Way of San Antonio is truly remarkable; and

2 WHEREAS, Rolando Bono works tirelessly in behalf of the city
3 of San Antonio, and it is a pleasure to honor his achievements at
4 this time; now, therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
6 Legislature hereby congratulate J. Rolando Bono on being named
7 interim city manager of San Antonio and extend to him sincere best
8 wishes for the future; and, be it further

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