## SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 522

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Ann N. McGinley on the occasion of her retirement from the Texas Commission of Environmental Quality after 28 years of invaluable service to the state; and

WHEREAS, Ann McGinley is retiring from the position of division director of the Enforcement Division of the Texas Commission of Environmental Quality, and her enthusiasm and expertise will be greatly missed; and

WHEREAS, Ann earned a bachelor's degree in chemistry from Trinity University in 1976 and a master's degree in chemistry from Texas A&M University in 1978; and

WHEREAS, She began her career at the agency in 1979, working in Industrial Solid Waste Registration and Permitting and in Industrial Hazardous and Solid Waste Enforcement; moving to the division director's staff, she coordinated hazardous waste permitting and enforcement activities for the agency's federal grant; and

WHEREAS, She was promoted to the position of manager for the Wastewater Permitting Program and then became the assistant division director for Watershed Management Division; she served as assistant division director of the Field Operations Division; and

WHEREAS, Ann was quickly promoted to the position of division director of the Field Operations Division, which conducted surface water quality sampling, ambient air monitoring, and inspections of industrial and hazardous waste

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facilities, municipal solid waste facilities, individual septic tanks, wastewater facilities, and drinking water facilities; and

WHEREAS, In 1995, she became the division director of the Enforcement Division, which was created to consolidate the enforcement programs of the agency under one division; and

WHEREAS, Her extensive knowledge of environmental issues and her comprehensive understanding of the authority of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality are valuable resources that will be sorely missed; her dedication and enthusiasm are an inspiration to all her colleagues; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 79th Legislature, hereby recognize Ann N. McGinley for her many years of service to the State of Texas and extend best wishes to her on the occasion of her retirement; and, be it further

**RESOLVED,** That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for her as an expression of esteem from the Texas Senate.

Barrientos

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on March 31, 2005.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate