

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 544

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to join the family and friends of Henry Shepherd of Montgomery, Alabama, in recognizing this beloved gentleman for his outstanding accomplishments; and

WHEREAS, Journal Clerk of the Alabama House of Representatives since 1993, Henry is known for his hard work and dedication to the legislative process and legislative traditions; and

WHEREAS, As a member of the American Society of Legislative Clerks and Secretaries, Henry has many warm associations across the United States, and the members of the Texas Senate delegation to the society consider him a loyal and valued friend; and

WHEREAS, Those who know Henry have been enriched by his generosity, his kind heart, and a smile that has been known to light up a room; and

WHEREAS, An avid outdoorsman, Henry resembles an Alabama version of Crocodile Dundee with his signature black hat, but the role he cherishes is not that of a would-be adventurer, but rather that of a doting grandfather; and

WHEREAS, Henry and his wife, Greta, share many interests, but most of all they share a love of family and the State of Alabama; and

WHEREAS, Henry Shepherd has earned the respect and friendship of all who know him, particularly his legislative associates throughout the United States, and he is truly deserving of honor and praise; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 79th Legislature, hereby commend Henry Shepherd for his untiring devotion to the citizens of Alabama and express sincere appreciation to a dedicated public servant; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for Henry as an expression of high regard and best wishes from the Texas Senate.

Van de Putte

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on April 4, 2005.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate