

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1103

WHEREAS, One of the most beloved Senate employees is also one of the most outstanding, and Detta Haffelder is truly a worthy recipient of the legislative Betty King Public Service Award; and

WHEREAS, Administrative Director for Senator John Carona, Detta is known for her abiding loyalty to her senator and to her co-workers and for her dedication to helping the citizens of Senatorial District 16; and

WHEREAS, Detta's tact and charm while dealing with seemingly impossible requests from Senator Carona's constituents recall the tact and charm of her cherished friend and mentor, Betty King; and

WHEREAS, Detta began her legislative career in the House of Representatives in June of 1966 but came to the Senate from the office of Representative Libby Linebarger in August of 1994 to work for another one of her favorite bosses, Senator Bill Sims; Detta joined the staff of Senator John Carona in August of 1997 and feels herself truly blessed to have such a wonderful and understanding boss; and

WHEREAS, Ever cheerful, Detta has a kind word for one and all; a lively companion and trusted friend, Detta has endeared herself to all who are privileged to know her; and

WHEREAS, Few people love the Senate and its traditions more than Detta Haffelder, and she is truly an exemplary role model for all young people entering public service; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas,
79th Legislature, hereby commend Detta Haffelder for her superb
Senate service and congratulate her on being named the 2005
legislative recipient of the Betty King Public Service Award;
and, be it further

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

Harris

Armbrister
Averitt
Barrientos
Brimer
Carona
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Duncan
Ellis
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Estes

Fraser
Gallegos
Harris
Hinojosa
Jackson
Janek
Lindsay
Lucio
Madla
Nelson
Ogden

Seliger
Shapiro
Shapleigh
Staples
Van de Putte
Wentworth
West
Whitmire
Williams
Zaffirini

Dewhurst, President of the Senate

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the
above Resolution was adopted by
the Senate on May 30, 2005.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate