

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Mel Measeles is concluding his tenure as a  
2 Friendswood City Council member in 2007, bringing to a close 15  
3 years of distinguished service to that East Texas community; and

4           WHEREAS, A resident of Friendswood for 36 years, Mr. Measeles  
5 joined the city council in 1991 and filled the position of mayor  
6 pro-tem in 1992 and 1993; after leaving office in the mid-1990s, he  
7 returned to the council in 1997, and his accomplished leadership  
8 has helped guide the city in the 10 years since; and

9           WHEREAS, In his work in behalf of area residents, Mr.  
10 Measeles has served as a liaison to the boards that oversee a wide  
11 variety of issues, including parks and recreation, the library,  
12 planning and zoning, and community appearance; and

13           WHEREAS, His input has also been vital to groups such as the  
14 Clear Creek Advisory Committee, the Clear Creek Regional Watershed  
15 Steering Committee, the Galveston County Consolidated Drainage  
16 District, the Houston-Galveston Area Council, and the Friendswood  
17 Historical Society; and

18           WHEREAS, Highly respected by his peers, Mr. Measeles has  
19 taken an active role in organizations that promote cooperation  
20 between local governments; he has served as an officer of the  
21 Galveston County Mayors and Council Members Association, the Harris  
22 County Mayors' and Councils' Association, and the Clear Lake  
23 Council of Cities; and

24           WHEREAS, This devoted public servant and involved citizen has

1 demonstrated an admirable commitment to making Friendswood an even  
2 better place to live and work, and Mr. Measeles may take justifiable  
3 pride in his many achievements as an elected official; now,  
4 therefore, be it

5         RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas  
6 Legislature hereby commend Mel Measeles for his long and noteworthy  
7 tenure with the Friendswood City Council and extend to him best  
8 wishes for success in his future endeavors; and, be it further

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

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H.R. No. 2126

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2126 was adopted by the House on May 25, 2007, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House