## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Tony Markowitz has provided a decade of dedicated
- 2 service to the Val Verde County Rural Volunteer Fire Department;
- 3 and
- WHEREAS, Mr. Markowitz has demonstrated exceptional ability
- 5 and devotion to duty throughout his tenure, and his service has won
- 6 the respect of his peers and the gratitude of his community; and
- 7 WHEREAS, The welfare of small towns across Texas is greatly
- 8 enhanced by the efforts of volunteer firefighters, and Tony
- 9 Markowitz may take justifiable pride in his commitment to serve and
- 10 protect his fellow citizens; now, therefore, be it
- 11 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
- 12 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby commend Tony Markowitz for
- 13 his decade of service with the Val Verde County Rural Volunteer Fire
- 14 Department and extend to him sincere best wishes for the future;
- 15 and, be it further
- 16 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 17 prepared for Mr. Markowitz as an expression of high regard by the
- 18 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 44 was adopted by the House on July 2, 2009, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House