

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 29

WHEREAS, It is a pleasure for the Texas Senate to pay tribute to one of its most respected and beloved longtime staff members, Mike Campbell, who is retiring as the director of the Support Services Department; and

WHEREAS, Mike is retiring June 30 after 17 years and five months of outstanding service with the Senate; prior to joining the Senate in 1992, he worked in the Office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts for over 10 years; he has a total state service record of 28 years and four months; and

WHEREAS, As director of Senate Support Services, Mike has faced the daunting challenges of his position with equanimity and dedication; he has also managed to keep his enthusiasm for his work and his good humor intact while handling the multiple and wide-ranging responsibilities required of him; and

WHEREAS, The Support Services Department provides facilities management, telecommunications services, furniture, keys, engraving services, and payroll distribution to Senate offices; it serves as the liaison with the State Preservation Board and the Texas Facilities Commission for services that range from picture hanging to painting, plumbing, and electrical work to air conditioning, heating, and lighting; and

WHEREAS, An exemplary administrator who is known for his professionalism and attention to detail, Mike has both the admiration and affection of those who work for him, and he has made innumerable friends throughout the Capitol complex and in Senate district offices; and

WHEREAS, Due to Mike's expertise and effective management, he has the enduring respect of all associated with the Senate, and his personable nature and sense of humor have made him a favorite among staff members and legislators; a treasured Senate employee, he will be greatly missed by all who have had the privilege of knowing and working with him; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 81st Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby commend Mike Campbell on his invaluable service to the Senate and his exceptional leadership as director of the Support Services Department and extend to him best wishes for the future; and, be it further

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

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Averitt	Harris	Seliger
Carona	Hegar	Shapiro
Davis	Hinojosa	Shapleigh
Deuell	Huffman	Uresti
Duncan	Jackson	Van de Putte
Ellis	Lucio	Wentworth
Eltife	Nelson	West
Estes	Nichols	Whitmire
Fraser	Ogden	Williams
Gallegos	Patrick	Zaffirini

Dewhurst, President of the Senate

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on July 2, 2009.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate