

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, J. Allen Clemson of Arlington is retiring from his  
2 position as administrator of the Dallas County Commissioners Court  
3 on January 31, 2009, concluding a distinguished career in public  
4 service that has spanned nearly 35 years; and

5           WHEREAS, Allen Clemson joined the Dallas County  
6 Commissioners Court in October 1985, and as its chief of staff, he  
7 served as the highest ranking nonelected administrative officer in  
8 Dallas County; his tenure included a number of notable  
9 accomplishments, including the development and implementation of a  
10 salary classification plan and performance appraisal system, as  
11 well as the implementation of a deferred compensation plan; and

12           WHEREAS, Before joining the commissioners court, Mr. Clemson  
13 served Dallas County as director of personnel and civil service  
14 from 1979 to 1985, and brought to that position experience gained in  
15 more than five years of service as assistant director of personnel  
16 and civil service for Tarrant County; and

17           WHEREAS, Retirement will afford Mr. Clemson more time to  
18 spend with his wife, Mollie, and his daughters, Cara and Lindsey, as  
19 well as to indulge in his favorite leisure activity, golf; and

20           WHEREAS, Allen Clemson has served his fellow residents with  
21 dedication, earning the lasting respect of those who have been  
22 privileged to work with him, and it is a pleasure to honor him for  
23 his service as he embarks on the next chapter of his life; now,  
24 therefore, be it

1           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas  
2 Legislature hereby commend J. Allen Clemson on his outstanding  
3 tenure with the Dallas County Commissioners Court and extend to him  
4 sincere best wishes for a rewarding retirement; and, be it further

5           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
6 prepared for Mr. Clemson as an expression of high regard by the  
7 Texas House of Representatives.

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H.R. No. 165

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 165 was adopted by the House on  
February 26, 2009, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House