By: Kleinschmidt H.R. No. 470

RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, On February 19, 2009, Dr. Forrest Lowry is serving

2 as Pastor of the Day for the Texas House of Representatives; and

3 WHEREAS, Dr. Lowry graduated from Fuller High School in

4 Little Rock, Arkansas, and holds a bachelor's degree in speech and

5 drama from Arkansas Tech University; he earned his master's degree

6 in theology and his ministry doctorate from Mid-America Baptist

7 Theological Seminary in Memphis, Tennessee, and is certified and

8 licensed as a belief therapist by the Therapon Institute; and

9 WHEREAS, This esteemed minister has served as senior pastor

10 for numerous churches in Arkansas, Tennessee, Oklahoma, and Texas

11 since 1973; currently, he leads the congregation at First Baptist

12 Church in Lexington, Texas, while also working as a reverse

13 mortgage branch sales manager for Wells Fargo Home Mortgage; he is

14 married to Linda Kay Lowry and is the proud father of three

15 children, Joshua, Matthew, and Allison; and

WHEREAS, In all of his endeavors, Dr. Lowry works diligently

17 to make a positive difference in the lives of his fellow citizens,

18 and his achievements in that effort are indeed impressive; now,

19 therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas

21 Legislature hereby express its sincere appreciation to Dr. Forrest

22 Lowry for his service as Pastor of the Day for this chamber and

23 extend to him warmest best wishes for continued success and

24 fulfillment in his ministry; and, be it further

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- 1 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 2 prepared for Dr. Lowry as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 3 House of Representatives.