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R E S O L U T I O N

1   WHEREAS, Leldon Hensley has been inducted into the Odessa

2 Chamber of Commerce Hall of Fame, and this occasion provides a

3 fitting opportunity to honor this esteemed Texan; and

4   WHEREAS, Born in Winters and raised in Walnut Springs, Leldon

5 Hensley went on to earn a bachelor's degree in civil biology and a

6 master's degree in education from Sul Ross State University; he

7 worked as a biology teacher and football coach for six years at

8 Borger High School and later at Permian High School, and he coached

9 football at West Texas A&M University for two years; since 1973, Mr.

10 Hensley has owned a general construction business in Odessa, the

11 Samson Corporation; and

12   WHEREAS, Through the years, Mr. Hensley has been active in

13 such local organizations as the Rotary Club, and he serves on the

14 board of the Odessa Housing Authority; he is also a former president

15 and current board member of the Odessa Industrial Development

16 Corporation, the Midland-Odessa Transportation Alliance, and the

17 Odessa Development Corporation, and he is a congregant at First

18 Presbyterian Church of Odessa; and

19   WHEREAS, In all of his endeavors, Mr. Hensley enjoys the love

20 and support of his wife, Cherie; the couple's treasured family has

21 grown to include two children, Shae and Dean, and a

22 daughter-in-law, Klaire; and

23   WHEREAS, Dedicated to his community and his profession,

24 Leldon Hensley has garnered the lasting respect and admiration of

1 his fellow residents, and he may indeed reflect with great pride on

2 his civic contributions; now, therefore, be it

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

4 Legislature hereby congratulate Leldon Hensley on his induction

5 into the Odessa Chamber of Commerce Hall of Fame and extend to him

6 sincere best wishes for continued success and happiness; and, be it

7 further

8   RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

9 prepared for Mr. Hensley as an expression of high regard by the

10 Texas House of Representatives.