

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, W. Wesley Hoskins of Corpus Christi has been elected  
2 as the new chair of the board of directors of the Texas Bankers  
3 Association; and

4           WHEREAS, Founded in 1885, the Texas Bankers Association works  
5 to create a healthy environment for the state's banking  
6 institutions; it offers services to bank employees as well as  
7 programs that help banks fight crime, teach young people financial  
8 responsibility, and assist senior citizens; and

9           WHEREAS, Wes Hoskins first joined the board of the TBA in 2000  
10 and was elected treasurer in 2007; he has also served as the chair  
11 of the organization's Community Bankers Council and as a member of  
12 the American Bankers Association Community Bankers Council; and

13           WHEREAS, Born in Bastrop, Mr. Hoskins earned a degree in  
14 communications from Texas State University; he began his banking  
15 career in 1992 as a director of First Community Bank, and he became  
16 president and CEO of the bank five years later; in 1999, he also  
17 became chair of Coastal Bend Bancshares; and

18           WHEREAS, Mr. Hoskins has long been a leader in his community,  
19 as a member of the Corpus Christi Chamber of Commerce board and as a  
20 member and chair of the Corpus Christi Downtown Management District  
21 board; he also served as a trustee and secretary/treasurer of the  
22 Gregory Portland Independent School District; and

23           WHEREAS, This caring gentleman has been involved as well with  
24 such worthwhile organizations as the Boy Scouts, the South Texas

1 Children's Heart Institute, the American Cancer Society, the  
2 Driscoll Foundation, the CHRISTUS Spohn Foundation, and others;  
3 moreover, he has been an active member of his church, the First  
4 United Methodist Church of Portland, which he has served as  
5 treasurer, finance committee chair, and staff parish committee  
6 chair; and

7         WHEREAS, Throughout his tenure in banking, Wes Hoskins has  
8 upheld the highest standards of professionalism and community  
9 engagement, and he will no doubt fulfill his new duties as chair of  
10 the Texas Bankers Association with equal commitment and energy;  
11 now, therefore, be it

12         RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas  
13 Legislature congratulate W. Wesley Hoskins on his election as chair  
14 of the board of the Texas Bankers Association and extend to him  
15 sincere best wishes for continued success and happiness; and, be it  
16 further

17         RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
18 prepared for Mr. Hoskins as an expression of high regard by the  
19 Texas House of Representatives.

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H.R. No. 2075

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2075 was adopted by the House on May 19, 2009, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House