

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Claude Cummings of Houston has contributed greatly  
2 to the betterment of his community for many years; and

3           WHEREAS, Born and raised in the Bayou City, Mr. Cummings  
4 graduated from Kashmere High School and went on to attend Tuskegee  
5 University; and

6           WHEREAS, Mr. Cummings was a communications technician with  
7 AT&T for 34 years before his retirement; in his current role as  
8 president of Communications Workers of America Local 6222, he has  
9 helped to lead a number of service projects, including efforts to  
10 assist disadvantaged youth, nursing homes, and local food banks;  
11 and

12           WHEREAS, A man of strong faith as well, Mr. Cummings has also  
13 been active with Fifth Ward Missionary Baptist Church, where he  
14 volunteers with the Faith Revitalization Center and serves as chair  
15 of the deacons board; and

16           WHEREAS, This outstanding Texan has distinguished himself as  
17 a voice for working people, a source of hope for the needy, and a  
18 caring member of his community, and he may indeed take pride in his  
19 achievements and contributions; now, therefore, be it

20           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas  
21 Legislature hereby commend Claude Cummings for his long record of  
22 service in behalf of his fellow Texans and extend to him sincere  
23 best wishes for continued happiness; and, be it further

24           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

H.R. No. 2617

1 prepared for Mr. Cummings as an expression of high regard by the  
2 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2617 was adopted by the House on May 31, 2009, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House