

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 999

**WHEREAS**, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Jack E. Singley, who has retired as superintendent of the Irving Independent School District after 44 years of loyal service to the district; and

**WHEREAS**, Jack Singley joined the Irving Independent School District in 1965 as a teacher of mathematics at MacArthur High School; from 1965 to 1988, he served as a teacher, principal, personnel director, and assistant superintendent for administration; and

**WHEREAS**, He was appointed superintendent of schools in October of 1988; during his 21-year tenure, he has overseen exceptional growth in the Irving Independent School District; peak enrollment grew from 21,887 to some 33,233 students; the number of employees increased from 2,309 to more than 4,177, and eight new schools were added to the district; and

**WHEREAS**, A consummate professional, Jack Singley is renowned for his superior leadership and his reliable judgment; he has had a positive impact on the lives of many students and faculty members in the Irving Independent School District, and his record of service set a standard of excellence for administrators and districts across the state; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 81st Legislature, hereby commend Jack E. Singley for his many contributions to the Irving Independent School District and the educational system of this state and extend to him best wishes in his retirement; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for him as an expression of high regard from the Texas Senate.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 25, 2009.

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Secretary of the Senate

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Member, Texas Senate