

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Glen Larum retired from the Texas Department of
2 Transportation on August 31, 2010, drawing to a close a
3 distinguished career with the agency that spanned more than 17
4 years; and

5 WHEREAS, In 1993, Mr. Larum joined TxDOT after working for 25
6 years in the news media; as the public information officer for the
7 12-county Odessa District, he was highly regarded for his skill,
8 expertise, and dedication to alerting residents about conditions
9 affecting their travel on area roadways; and

10 WHEREAS, Mr. Larum worked at radio station KDBM while
11 completing his bachelor's degree in education at the University of
12 Montana--Western; after graduating, he taught English and history
13 at St. Ignatius High School before becoming editor of the *Ronan*
14 *Pioneer* in 1974; he went on to serve as editor of the *Fort Stockton*
15 *Pioneer* for more than a decade; in addition, he was employed by the
16 international *United Methodist Reporter* and then the *Odessa*
17 *American*; and

18 WHEREAS, Throughout his tenure with the Department of
19 Transportation, Glen Larum demonstrated outstanding
20 professionalism and a commitment to excellence, and he may indeed
21 reflect with pride on his many contributions to the agency and to
22 his community; now, therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
24 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby commend Glen Larum for his

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1 service to the Texas Department of Transportation and extend to him
2 sincere best wishes for continued happiness; and, be it further

3 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
4 prepared for Mr. Larum as an expression of high regard by the Texas
5 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 128 was adopted by the House on June 28, 2011, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House