

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Captain Billy G. Holder is being honored on February  
2 8, 2011, for an outstanding tenure with the Irving Fire Department  
3 that has spanned more than 55 years; and

4           WHEREAS, Since joining the IFD in December 1955, "Shakey"  
5 Holder has distinguished himself time and again through his skill,  
6 experience, and commitment to the public welfare; and

7           WHEREAS, Captain Holder presently serves as the respected  
8 captain of Fire Station 1; he continues to be the lead man for his  
9 shift on the Swift Water Rescue Team, maintaining the conditioning  
10 and stamina required for this physically demanding rescue  
11 specialty; and

12           WHEREAS, Shakey Holder has also mentored countless younger  
13 firefighters and first responders over the years, generously  
14 sharing his wisdom and expertise; in tribute to his legendary  
15 career, an award to recognize exceptional members of the IFD has  
16 been named in his honor; and

17           WHEREAS, For well over half a century, Captain Billy  
18 G. Holder has demonstrated uncommon dedication, professionalism,  
19 and bravery as he has worked to protect the lives and property of  
20 the citizens of Irving, and he is truly deserving of deepest  
21 appreciation for his unstinting efforts; now, therefore, be it

22           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas  
23 Legislature hereby warmly commend Captain Billy G. "Shakey" Holder  
24 on his 55 years of service with the Irving Fire Department and

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1 extend to him sincere best wishes for continued success and  
2 happiness; and, be it further

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 211 was adopted by the House on February 8, 2011, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House