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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Officer Dan White retired as a full-time member of  
2 the Richardson Police Department on January 31, 2010, after nearly  
3 three decades of service to the department; and

4           WHEREAS, A graduate of J. J. Pearce High School in  
5 Richardson, Mr. White earned his bachelor's degree in criminal  
6 justice at The University of Texas at Arlington before joining the  
7 Richardson Police Department in 1980; and

8           WHEREAS, Officer White initially worked in the patrol  
9 division and then served for a time as an undercover narcotics  
10 officer; he was subsequently assigned to the criminal  
11 investigations division, where for the next 20 years he focused on  
12 crimes against persons, burglary and theft, and youth crimes; along  
13 the way, he served on two Federal Bureau of Investigation task  
14 forces; he is certified as a master peace officer, and he was named  
15 patrolman of the year for 1984 and investigator of the year for  
16 1996; and

17           WHEREAS, This outstanding law enforcement professional  
18 continues to work part-time as a neighborhood police officer on the  
19 west side of the city, where he grew up; and

20           WHEREAS, Dan White's dedication, professionalism, and  
21 commitment to the safety and welfare of the public have greatly  
22 benefited the citizens of Richardson, and he may indeed reflect  
23 with pride on his accomplishments even as he continues to serve;  
24 now, therefore, be it

1           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas  
2 Legislature hereby congratulate Dan White on his retirement as a  
3 full-time officer with the Richardson Police Department and extend  
4 to him sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

5           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
6 prepared for Officer White as an expression of high regard by the  
7 Texas House of Representatives.