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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, James Cantwell of Bowie, Texas is drawing to a close 2 an outstanding career as city manager that has spanned two decades 3 between 1993 to 2013 with his retirement in May; and

WHEREAS, James Cantwell's degree and expertise in engineering was an asset in the innovation and advancement of the City of Bowie; and he managed more than 100 employees and a city budget of over \$18,000,000; and

8 WHEREAS, James Cantwell served on the charter board of the 4A 9 & 4B Economic Development Boards which under his direction built 10 the Bowie Community Center and new City Council Chambers; and

11 WHEREAS, This great public servant sat on the North Central 12 Texas College Foundation Board which was instrumental in the 13 creation of the North Central Texas College Bowie Campus; and

14 WHEREAS, James Cantwell's service to the Texas Public Power 15 Association Board and Cross Plains Transportation Board has 16 overseen numerous infrastructure projects and improvements to the 17 city; moreover, James Cantwell brought Bowie essential services 18 such as new Sewer, Water, and Public Works Facilities; and, be it 19 further

20 RESOLVED, That James Cantwell be congratulated on the 21 occasion of his retirement and that he be extended sincere best 22 wishes for the future.

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