

By: Davis of Dallas

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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, An outstanding civic leader received well-deserved
2 recognition when Alan E. Sims was named the 2013 Man of the Year by
3 the Cedar Hill Chamber of Commerce; and

4 WHEREAS, Mr. Sims is the city manager of Cedar Hill; he is a
5 member of the board of the Cedar Hill Chamber of Commerce and is
6 actively involved in the Rotary Club and Lions Club; he is also on
7 the board of Trinity Christian School; and

8 WHEREAS, This notable public administrator served on the
9 board of the North Texas Tollway Authority from 2003 to 2010 and is
10 a regional director for the Texas City Management Association; he
11 came to his Cedar Hill post in 2000 from Overland Park, Kansas,
12 where he had been serving as deputy city manager; he has bachelor's
13 and master's degrees from the University of Kansas and was awarded
14 an honorary doctor of laws degree from Northwood University in
15 Cedar Hill in 2008; and

16 WHEREAS, In all of his endeavors, he enjoys the love and
17 support of his wife of 40 years, Gayle; they are the proud parents
18 of four children and have had the joy of watching their family grow
19 to include six grandchildren; and

20 WHEREAS, Alan Sims has contributed immeasurably to the
21 quality of life in his community, and he is indeed deserving of this
22 prestigious honor; now, therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
24 Legislature hereby congratulate Alan E. Sims on his selection as

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1 the 2013 Man of the Year by the Cedar Hill Chamber of Commerce and
2 extend to him sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

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