

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 894

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Wayne Riddle, who is retiring from his position as mayor of Deer Park after more than three decades of outstanding service to the community; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Riddle began his career in public service as a member of the Deer Park City Council in 1981; he served with distinction as a council member until 1999, when he was elected mayor; during his tenure as mayor, the city has continued to grow and prosper while remaining a wonderful place in which to live, work, and raise a family; and

WHEREAS, Throughout his outstanding career in public service, he has handled his many responsibilities with exceptional effectiveness and dedication; he has served as an officer with numerous professional organizations; he is a former president of the Texas Municipal League Region 14 and of the Texas Association of Mayors, Councilmembers and Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, A leading Deer Park citizen, he is the owner of the Wayne Riddle Insurance Agency and Deer Park Insurance Agency, Incorporated; he has served as president of the Deer Park Chamber of Commerce, the Deer Park Rotary Club, and the Pasadena Deepwater Optimist Club; he received Deer Park's Outstanding Citizen Award in 1991; and

WHEREAS, An exemplary public servant, he is respected and admired by his colleagues and fellow citizens alike, and his presence as mayor of Deer Park will be greatly missed; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 83rd Legislature, hereby commend Wayne Riddle on his exemplary service as mayor of Deer Park and extend to him best wishes for continued success in all his endeavors; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for him as an expression of high regard from the Texas Senate.

Taylor

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 14, 2013.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate