By: White of Tyler

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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, William L. Jackson has been named chief of police
for the City of Newton; and

3 WHEREAS, A highly skilled professional, Mr. Jackson brings 4 to his new role more than two decades of experience in law 5 enforcement; he is currently a detective sergeant with the Fort 6 Stockton Police Department, where he has served with distinction 7 for the past 18 years; and

8 WHEREAS, Mr. Jackson holds a Master Peace Officer license and 9 he is a Certified Firearms Instructor; since his graduation from 10 the Kilgore Police Academy in 1992, he has completed more than 50 11 law enforcement training classes, including courses in management, 12 child abuse prevention, forensic science, gangs, and juvenile 13 justice; and

14 WHEREAS, A native of Buna, Mr. Jackson is upholding a family 15 tradition in law enforcement; his father was a lawman, his brother 16 is a Jasper police officer, his niece is a Texas Highway Patrol 17 trooper, and his brother-in-law is a federal probation officer; and

18 WHEREAS, William Jackson has demonstrated a strong 19 commitment to excellence throughout his career, and the Newton 20 Police Department is sure to benefit from his dedicated leadership; 21 now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas Legislature hereby congratulate William Jackson on his appointment as chief of the Newton Police Department and extend to him sincere

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1 best wishes for continued success; and, be it further

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