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H.R. No. 191

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Lissa Smith concluded her service as a member of the
2 Plano City Council in 2017, and the outstanding contributions made
3 by this esteemed public servant are indeed deserving of
4 recognition; and

5 WHEREAS, A valued resident of Plano since 1990, Ms. Smith was
6 first elected to represent Place 4 on the city council in 2009;
7 during her two terms in office, she focused her attention on such
8 vital concerns as economic development, regional transportation,
9 and public safety, and she was named mayor pro tem in 2012; and

10 WHEREAS, Ms. Smith has worked tirelessly in behalf of her
11 community, serving as president of the North Central Texas Council
12 of Governments and co-chair of the Dallas Regional Mobility
13 Coalition; she has also given generously of her time and talents to
14 the Regional Transportation Council, the North Texas Commission,
15 the Plano Symphony Orchestra, and the Collin County Health Care
16 Foundation; moreover, she has served as district director in the
17 office of State Senator Florence Shapiro and as CEO of Collin County
18 Meals on Wheels and Senior Services; and

19 WHEREAS, With her many accomplishments, Ms. Smith has earned
20 a place on the Inside Collin County Business "21 Leaders for the
21 21st Century" list, and she received the Collin County League of
22 United Latin American Citizens Civic Award in 2011; in all her
23 endeavors, she enjoys the love and support of her husband, Bill, and
24 their two children, Blake and Alexis; and

1 WHEREAS, By providing thoughtful leadership and effectively
2 representing the interests of their constituents, city council
3 members strive each day to improve the quality of life in their
4 communities, and the laudable efforts of Lissa Smith have helped to
5 make Plano an even better place in which to live and work; now,
6 therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
8 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby commend Lissa Smith for her
9 exemplary service on the Plano City Council and extend to her
10 sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

11 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
12 prepared for Ms. Smith as an expression of high regard by the Texas
13 House of Representatives.