

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Lieutenant Johnny Spillman is retiring from the
2 McLennan County Sheriff's Office on April 30, 2017, drawing to a
3 close a notable career as a peace officer that has spanned three
4 decades; and

5 WHEREAS, Lieutenant Spillman is a graduate of the McLennan
6 Community College Law Enforcement Academy; he began his career with
7 the McLennan County jail in 1986, and for the past five years he has
8 served as an administrator in the criminal investigation division,
9 where he oversees 10 investigators, 5 mental health deputies, and a
10 number of civilian employees; over the past several years he has
11 helped lead the division to an arrest in every homicide case in the
12 county's jurisdiction; and

13 WHEREAS, This courageous officer has been honored with the
14 Star of Texas Award, which was presented to him by Governor Rick
15 Perry in recognition of a serious injury he sustained in 2013 while
16 engaged in the investigation of a reported kidnapping; and

17 WHEREAS, Lieutenant Spillman has exemplified the highest
18 ideals of his profession throughout his career, and his unwavering
19 dedication to the safety and well-being of his fellow citizens has
20 earned him the lasting respect and admiration of all who know him;
21 now, therefore, be it

22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
23 Legislature hereby congratulate Lieutenant Johnny Spillman on the
24 occasion of his retirement from the McLennan County Sheriff's

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1 Office and extend to him sincere best wishes for continued
2 happiness and fulfillment; and, be it further

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

Anderson of McLennan

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 699 was adopted by the House on March 16, 2017, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House