

By: Workman

H.R. No. 1171

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Dr. J. Kie Bowman is being honored on May 21, 2017,
2 for his 20 years of dedicated service as the senior pastor of Hyde
3 Park Baptist Church in Austin; and

4 WHEREAS, In 1997, Dr. Bowman took on leadership of the
5 church, and 10 years later, he guided the establishment of a second
6 campus, The Quarries Church; he has served on the executive
7 committee of the Southern Baptist Convention, and over the years,
8 he has benefited the organization at the state and national levels
9 in numerous key roles, including as chair and trustee of the
10 Southern Baptists of Texas Convention; during the 83rd Texas
11 Legislature, he served the House of Representatives as chaplain;
12 and

13 WHEREAS, Dr. Bowman is much in demand as a preacher for state
14 evangelism conferences, national conventions, and other events,
15 and he has delivered keynote messages at international conferences
16 in Ireland, Paraguay, and Switzerland; moreover, he presented a
17 paper on American evangelicalism at the University of Oxford in
18 England; he is the author of three books on the New Testament and
19 has contributed to more than a dozen other works; a graduate of the
20 University of the Cumberland, Dr. Bowman holds both a master of
21 divinity and a doctor of ministry degree from Southwestern Baptist
22 Theological Seminary; and

23 WHEREAS, In all his endeavors, Dr. Bowman is supported by the
24 love and encouragement of his wife, Tina, and their children,

1 Amanda, Laura, and Joseph; and

2 WHEREAS, Throughout his notable tenure, Kie Bowman has
3 wholeheartedly committed himself to advancing the mission of Hyde
4 Park Baptist Church, and his leadership has provided valued
5 inspiration and guidance to his community of faith; now, therefore,
6 be it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
8 Legislature hereby congratulate Dr. J. Kie Bowman on the joyous
9 occasion of his 20th anniversary with Hyde Park Baptist Church in
10 Austin and extend to him sincere best wishes for the future; and, be
11 it further

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