H.C.R. No. 128

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Johnnie LaPrade is concluding her tenure as mayor of 2 East Tawakoni at the end of May 2019, drawing to a close more than 15 3 years of public service to the community; and

WHEREAS, Born and raised in Dallas, Johnnie LaPrade resided in the Mesquite area for 18 years before arriving in East Tawakoni in December 1983; she is retired from an 18-year career with Madix, where she worked as a customer service assistant manager and supervisor; and

WHEREAS, Mayor LaPrade's interest in civic affairs led her to 9 run for a seat on the East Tawakoni City Council, which she served 10 11 as mayor pro tempore for three years until assuming the office of mayor in 2011; she has further benefited East Tawakoni residents as 12 a member of the Economic Development Corporation and the Spirit of 13 14 East Tawakoni fund-raising committee, and she has ably represented the community and Rains County on the East Texas Council of 15 Governments; moreover, she is a former vice president and current 16 city ambassador for the Rains County Chamber of Commerce, and she 17 also serves on the Rains County Historical Commission; and 18

WHEREAS, Mayor Johnnie LaPrade has demonstrated a lasting commitment to making East Tawakoni an even better place in which to live, work, and raise a family, and her contributions have earned her the deep and lasting respect of her fellow citizens; now, therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, That the 86th Legislature of the State of Texas

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H.C.R. No. 128 1 hereby commend Johnnie LaPrade for her service as mayor of East 2 Tawakoni and extend to her sincere best wishes for the future; and, 3 be it further

4 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 5 prepared for Mayor LaPrade as an expression of high regard by the 6 Texas House of Representatives and Senate.

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President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.C.R. No. 128 was adopted by the House on March 21, 2019, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.C.R. No. 128 was adopted by the Senate on March 27, 2019, by a viva-voce vote.

Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: _____

Date

Governor