

By: Price

H.R. No. 490

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Eddie Edwards, city manager of Borger, has received
2 the Goodwin Regional Public Administrator Award from the Panhandle
3 Regional Planning Commission; and

4 WHEREAS, Established in 1992, the Goodwin Regional Public
5 Administrator Award recognizes a public servant for his or her
6 contributions to the Texas Panhandle region; a native of Borger and
7 a graduate of Borger High School, Mr. Edwards began his career with
8 the city in 1980 as a laborer in its utilities department, and he
9 was later promoted to superintendent of water maintenance and then
10 to assistant utilities director; appointed assistant city manager
11 and human resources director in 2006, he was named city manager four
12 years later; and

13 WHEREAS, Mr. Edwards is actively involved with the Texas City
14 Management Association, and in January 2019, he will become chair
15 of the Texas Municipal League Intergovernmental Risk Pool Board of
16 Trustees, which he currently serves as vice chair; additionally,
17 his 12 years of membership with the Panhandle City Managers
18 Association included a term as president, and he has also chaired
19 the Alliance of Xcel Municipalities Steering Committee, which
20 addresses the region's electric utility rate structure; and

21 WHEREAS, Dedicated to his community, Mr. Edwards is an ex
22 officio member of the Borger Chamber of Commerce; he has further
23 shared his time and talents with the Borger Lions Club, and he
24 volunteered for nine years as the Band Boosters president at Borger

1 High; in all his endeavors, he enjoys the love and support of his
2 wife, Cambden, and their sons, Thomas and James; and

3 WHEREAS, Eddie Edwards has demonstrated a long-standing
4 commitment to the residents of Borger and the Panhandle, and he may
5 reflect with pride on all that he has accomplished in their behalf;
6 now, therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas
8 Legislature hereby congratulate Eddie Edwards on receiving the
9 Goodwin Regional Public Administrator Award from the Panhandle
10 Regional Planning Commission and extend to him sincere best wishes
11 for continued success with his important work; and, be it further

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