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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Denton County Tax Assessor-Collector Michelle 2 French was installed as president of the Tax Assessor-Collectors 3 Association (TACA) of Texas on June 18, 2018, and this achievement 4 represents a significant milestone in her impressive career; and

5 WHEREAS, A longtime resident of Denton County, Michelle French joined the county tax office as a clerk in 1982, and since 6 7 then, she has distinguished herself in positions of increasing responsibility, including assistant supervisor, supervisor, 8 9 comptroller, and chief deputy; she was elected county tax assessor-collector in 2012, and she continues to earn the respect 10 and admiration of both her professional peers and the public; she is 11 12 certified as a class IV registered Texas assessor-collector and a 13 professional county collector; and

WHEREAS, TACA is the largest professional organization for tax assessors and collectors in the state, and Ms. French has served the association as secretary-treasurer and vice president and as a member of the Program, Technology, By-Laws, Legislative, and TxDMV Liaison Committees; she is also a member of the Texas Association of Assessing Officers, and she has served her local chapter as trustee, vice president, and president; and

21 WHEREAS, Despite her busy professional life, Ms. French has 22 also made time to hold leadership positions with the Denton 23 Breakfast Kiwanis Club and the Denton Republican Women's Club; she 24 has also been a Republican poll watcher, election judge, election

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1 clerk, and delegate to the state convention; and

2 WHEREAS, Ms. French's dedication, professionalism, and 3 integrity have greatly benefited her profession and the people of 4 Denton County, and she may indeed reflect with pride on her record 5 of achievement as she continues to represent her fellow tax 6 assessors and collectors as leader of TACA; now, therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas 8 Legislature hereby congratulate Michelle French on her 9 installation as president of the Tax Assessor-Collectors 10 Association of Texas and extend to her sincere best wishes for 11 continued success; and, be it further

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

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