SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 777

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Robert Floyd on his distinguished career and his outstanding service on behalf of military veterans and the state and nation; and

WHEREAS, A veteran of the 101st Airborne Division of the United States Army, Robert Floyd served with distinction during the Vietnam War, and he went on to build a rewarding career as a legislative lobbyist, trade executive, and education advocate; and

WHEREAS, Robert has lobbied before the Texas Legislature and the United States Congress for more than 35 years; he was a two-term Eanes Independent School District Trustee, and he taught as an adjunct instructor at Austin Community College; he is the author of The Courage to Lead: An Essential Guide for Volunteer Leaders, Board Trustees, and Public Servants and of many articles on nonprofit management and public advocacy; and

WHEREAS, As chairman of the Texas Capitol Vietnam Veterans Monument Committee, Robert Floyd deserves high accolades for leading the movement to honor Texas veterans of the Vietnam War; it was his vision to place a monument on the grounds of the Texas Capitol in honor of those veterans who heroically served their nation; the monument depicts five Texas soldiers in action and entombed inside are the names of the 3,417 Texans who did not return home from the war; and

WHEREAS, Robert Floyd is an esteemed citizen who has earned the admiration of leaders in both the public and private sectors; he is retiring from Hance Scarborough, Limited Liability Partnership, after a long career of service to his community and the state; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 86th Legislature, hereby commend Robert Floyd on his invaluable service and leadership and his exceptional accomplishments and extend to him best wishes in all his future endeavors; and, be it further

him best wishes in all his future endeavors; and, be it further RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for him as an expression of esteem from the Texas Senate.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 20, 2019.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate