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H.R. No. 1396

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Robert Hoxworth of First National Bank Texas in
2 Killeen was inducted into the Texas Bankers Hall of Fame at a
3 ceremony in Huntsville on May 1, 2025; and

4 WHEREAS, Established by the Smith-Hutson Endowed Chair of
5 Banking at Sam Houston State University, the Texas Bankers Hall of
6 Fame recognizes outstanding bankers who have worked to improve
7 their industry, their communities, and their state; and

8 WHEREAS, Bobby Hoxworth began his more than 40-year career
9 with First National Bank Texas in Killeen in 1981, starting out as a
10 student worker in the mail room; he went on to hold a range of
11 positions with the institution before being named to his current
12 role of president and chief executive officer in 2008; and

13 WHEREAS, A leader in his profession and his community, Mr.
14 Hoxworth has served as chair of both the Texas Bankers Association
15 and the Greater Killeen Chamber of Commerce executive board; he has
16 further given of his time and expertise to the Killeen Economic
17 Development Corporation, the Fort Hood Region Economic Development
18 Foundation, and the Killeen Industrial Foundation; moreover, while
19 serving on the Harker Heights City Council, he was named mayor pro
20 tempore and appointed to the Central Texas Council of Governments
21 Board of Directors; he currently sits on the Federal Reserve Bank of
22 Dallas Community Depository Institutions Advisory Council, and he
23 is a member of the Central Texas chapter of the Association of the
24 United States Army, the board of the Heart of Texas Defense

1 Alliance, and the Killeen Heights Rotary Club; and

2 WHEREAS, Mr. Hoxworth holds an associate's degree in applied
3 science from Central Texas College, a bachelor's degree in applied
4 science from the University of Mary Hardin-Baylor, and a master of
5 business administration degree from Baylor University; in
6 recognition of his myriad accomplishments, he has received
7 distinguished alumni awards from the Killeen Independent School
8 District, the Central Texas College Foundation, and the UMHB Alumni
9 Association; and

10 WHEREAS, Bobby Hoxworth's dedication, integrity, and
11 commitment to excellence have greatly benefited his profession and
12 his fellow citizens, and he may indeed take pride in this special
13 recognition of his many contributions to banking in the Lone Star
14 State; now, therefore, be it

15 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 89th Texas
16 Legislature hereby congratulate Robert Hoxworth on his induction
17 into the Texas Bankers Hall of Fame and extend to him sincere best
18 wishes for continued success; and, be it further

19 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
20 prepared for Mr. Hoxworth as an expression of high regard by the
21 Texas House of Representatives.