

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 139

WHEREAS, Betsy Buhler of Community Bible Church in San Antonio has enriched the lives of countless people through her work as a chaplain; and

WHEREAS, Born and raised in Lebanon, Tennessee, Chaplain Buhler was called to the ministry while still a teenager, and she went on to volunteer at church summer camps and to become a youth pastor; for 18 years, she worked at Lifeway, a Christian publisher based in Nashville, Tennessee, helping coordinate the worship team for large events hosted by the company; she moved to San Antonio in 2001 to accept a position at Community Bible Church, and for nearly two decades, she led the congregation's media team; and

WHEREAS, In 2006, Chaplain Buhler was invited to become a chaplain with the San Antonio Police Department after having worked with the agency to coordinate funerals for officers killed in the line of duty; she also served as a chaplain for the San Antonio Silver Stars WNBA team and has acted as a spiritual resource for CASA; and

WHEREAS, Chaplain Buhler is the founder of reFocus Today Ministry, a nonprofit organization established in 2013 that provides chaplaincy, pastoral, and counseling services in a range of settings, including hospitals, businesses, and first responder agencies; in recognition of her wide-ranging work, she has been honored as "Chaplain to the City" and is also known by her nickname, "Chappy B"; and

WHEREAS, This esteemed chaplain has exemplified the highest standards of her calling, and her many good works have earned her the lasting admiration and respect of all who know her; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 89th Legislature, hereby honor Chaplain Betsy Buhler for her service in the ministry and extend to her sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That an official copy of this Resolution be prepared for Chaplain Buhler as an expression of high regard from the Texas Senate.

Campbell

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the
above Resolution was adopted by
the Senate on February 26, 2025.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate