**A** **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

TO RECOGNIZE AND HONOR JOHN DAVID SMITH, CITY ADMINISTRATOR WITH THE CITY OF WESTMINSTER, UPON THE OCCASION OF HIS RETIREMENT AFTER TEN YEARS OF OUTSTANDING SERVICE, AND TO WISH HIM CONTINUED SUCCESS AND HAPPINESS IN ALL HIS FUTURE ENDEAVORS.

Whereas, it is altogether fitting and proper that the members of the House of Representatives of the State of South Carolina should pause in their deliberations to express their gratitude to John David Smith for his significant contributions to the City of Westminster as he begins his well‑deserved retirement on June 30, 2014; and

Whereas, on August 9, 2004, David Smith came from serving the City of Cairo, Georgia, to serve as the utilities director for the City of Westminster, nestled in the foothills of the scenic Appalachian Mountains in Oconee County; and

Whereas, previous to serving with the City of Cairo, Mr. Smith served with Florida Power; and

Whereas, he assumed dual jobs when he became the city administrator for the City of Westminster on April 26, 2005, and has served faithfully as the utilities director and city administrator since that time; and

Whereas, representing the City of Westminster, Mr. Smith has served on the board of directors for the Piedmont Municipal Power Association, and he also has been a member of the Rotary Club since 2004; and

Whereas, he has served on the board of directors for the Westminster Chamber of Commerce and has been a member of its Mayberry Comes to Westminster Festival Committee. The festival just celebrated its fourth year; and

Whereas, the members of the South Carolina House of Representatives are grateful for the many years of singular dedication that David Smith has given to the City of Westminster and wish him many years of enjoyment in his well‑earned retirement. Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

That the members of the House of Representatives of the State of South Carolina, by this resolution, recognize and honor John David Smith, City Administrator with the City of Westminster, upon the occasion of his retirement after ten years of outstanding service, and wish him continued success and happiness in all his future endeavors.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be presented to John David Smith.

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