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3 By Representatives Bedsole, Paschal, Mooney, Carns, Ellis,
4 Hulsey, DuBose
5 RFD: Rules
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3 HJR_____ COMMENDING CHIEF CURTIS RIGNEY ON HIS RETIREMENT.
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5 WHEREAS, with great pride and special pleasure,
6 highest commendations are extended to Chief Curtis Rigney
7 after more than 33 years of service to the City of
8 Alabaster, Alabama; and

9 WHEREAS, Curtis began his career with the Alabaster
10 Police Department as a Patrol Officer on April 18, 1991;
11 from there, he never looked back and quickly climbed the
12 ranks to the Chief of Police over a storied career; and

13 WHEREAS, Curtis' promotions were numerous and
14 consistent; in 1996, he was assigned to the Shelby Regional
15 Drug Task Force; just two years later, he was promoted to
16 Detective and assigned to the Criminal Investigation
17 Division (CID); in only seven months, he attained the rank
18 of Sergeant in CID; then in December 2001, he was promoted
19 to the rank of Lieutenant in CID and served as the Division
20 Commander; recognizing his exceptional leadership skills,
21 the department made him Captain in May of 2003; in 2008, he
22 was promoted to Deputy Chief of Police and then in August of
23 2012, he was appointed Chief of Police; and

24 WHEREAS, Chief Rigney has an Associate Degree from
25 Marion Military Institute in 1984 and a Bachelor of Science
26 in Criminal Justice from The University of Alabama in 1986;
27 in 2000, he graduated from the FBI National Academy in
28 Quantico, Virginia, as well as the DEA Drug Unit Commanders



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29 Leadership Academy in 2008; he is also a Certified Law
30 Enforcement Executive from Jacksonville State University;
31 now therefore,

32 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
33 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Chief Curtis Rigney is
34 hereby commended and recognized for his faithful and
35 effective service to the City of Alabaster, serving for over
36 33 years in its police department with 12 of those years as
37 Chief of Police, and with sincere admiration for his
38 dedication to helping people; this resolution is offered
39 with utmost appreciation to him, along with best wishes for
40 all future endeavors.

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