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- 3 By Representatives Hammett, Baker
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| 4  | HJR COMMENDING ESCAMBIA COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT          |
| 5  | AGENCY DIRECTOR DAVID ADAMS ON THE OCCASION OF HIS           |
| 6  | RETIREMENT.  |
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| 8  | WHEREAS, with great pride and special pleasure,              |
| 9  | highest commendations are conveyed to David Adams on the     |
| 10 | occasion of his retirement as the Director of the Escambia   |
| 11 | County Emergency Management Agency; and                      |
| 12 | WHEREAS, David Adams has been a public servant for           |
| 13 | the past 45 years as a volunteer firefighter; he also served |
| 14 | as Superintendent of Public Works for the Town of Flomaton,  |
| 15 | Alabama, for 15 years; and he has served as Director of the  |
| 16 | Escambia County Emergency Management Agency (EMA) for 19     |
| 17 | years; and   |
| 18 | WHEREAS, in his role with the county's EMA, Mr. Adams        |
| 19 | has often served as a calming voice of reason in the face of |
| 20 | disastrous events; Escambia County has several creeks that   |
| 21 | are prone to flooding during storms and its location in      |
| 22 | South Central Alabama puts the county at risk of hurricane   |
| 23 | and tropical storm damage; and                               |
| 24 | WHEREAS, some of the significant events that Mr.             |
| 25 | Adams has participated in the mitigation and relief efforts  |
| 26 | include the 2011 deadly tornado outbreak; Hurricanes Sally,  |
| 27 | Michael, Irma, Nate, and Gustav, among many other severe     |

28 storms, and the 2020 Corona Virus Pandemic; now therefore,



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| 29  | BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH           |
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| 30  | HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That for his many years of public |
| 31  | service to the residents of Escambia County and in           |
| 32  | recognition of his 19-year career as Director of the         |
| 33  | Escambia County Emergency Management Agency, David Adams is  |
| 3 4 | highly commended, and this resolution is offered to him as   |
| 35  | evidence of our high regard and with best wishes for         |
| 36  | continued health and prosperity in his retirement.           |