

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 45th Legislature (1996)

HOUSE CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION NO. 1103

By: Johnson and Rice of the
House

and

Taylor of the Senate

AS INTRODUCED

A Concurrent Resolution commending Peggy Smith for being selected as the 1996 National Financial Services Advocate of the Year; and directing distribution.

WHEREAS, Peggy Smith has served on the State Treasurer's Linked Deposit Board, as well as serving in important positions in such organizations as the Oklahoma Private Enterprise Forum, the Tulsa Industrial Authority, the Tulsa Economic Development Corporation, Industries for Tulsa Inc. and the Council for Industrial Development Bond Issues; and

WHEREAS, small businesses are the backbone of America's economic development; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Smith has served as a small business advocate on the advisory boards of Tulsa Junior College and the Tulsa Technology Center; and

WHEREAS, as Executive Director of the Small Business Capital Corporation, Ms. Smith is responsible for marketing the Small Business Association 504 loan program in the Tulsa metropolitan area; and

WHEREAS, her varied programs working with the Metropolitan Tulsa Chamber of Commerce have been responsible for meeting both the debt and equity capital needs of many small businesses and her many innovative solutions have delivered results creating hundreds of jobs in Oklahoma; and

WHEREAS, among these other accomplishments Peggy Smith, who is the Director of Business Finance at the Metropolitan Tulsa Chamber of Commerce, has been selected by the Small Business Administration as the 1996 National Financial Services Advocate of the Year; and

WHEREAS, Peggy Smith will represent the State of Oklahoma and small businesses during Small Business Week ceremonies in Washington, D.C., on June 2 through June 5, 1996; and

WHEREAS, Oklahoma takes great pride in the hard work, great accomplishments and recognition of Peggy Smith, one of the leading citizens of this state.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 2ND SESSION OF THE 45TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

THAT the Oklahoma Legislature commends and takes great pride in Peggy Smith being selected as the 1996 National Financial Services Advocate of the Year.

THAT copies of this resolution be distributed to Peggy Smith and to the Metropolitan Tulsa Chamber of Commerce.

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