

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 46th Legislature (1997)

HOUSE CONCURRENT  
RESOLUTION NO. 1036

By: Braddock of the House

and

Kerr of the Senate

AS INTRODUCED

A Concurrent Resolution commending Trooper Mike Holloway for his dedication to duty and professionalism; congratulating Trooper Holloway for receiving the Trooper of the Year Award for Heroism; and directing distribution.

WHEREAS, courageous action in the face of grave danger is the truest form of bravery; and

WHEREAS, Trooper Mike Holloway demonstrated immense bravery on December 25, 1996, when, without regard for his own personal safety, he crawled into the wreckage of a pickup truck containing a leaking propane tank to effect the rescue of the driver of the pickup who was pinned inside the wreckage; and

WHEREAS, because the battery cables on the pickup could not be disconnected, the danger was great that the propane could become ignited, but this did not deter Trooper Holloway from taking the only action possible to save the life of the driver of the pickup; and

WHEREAS, Trooper Holloway acted in a truly professional manner throughout the ordeal, assessing, and then overcoming, each obstacle as it arose; and

WHEREAS, Trooper Holloway correctly dealt with the entire situation, not only coping with the rescue of the driver, but also guarding against possible harm to bystanders; and

WHEREAS, it was through Trooper Holloway's persistence and dedication to duty that a potential disaster was avoided and a successful rescue was effected; and

WHEREAS, Trooper Holloway's actions exemplify the high ideals that all Oklahoma State Troopers strive for; and

WHEREAS, for this extraordinary act, Trooper Holloway was presented the Trooper of the Year Award for Heroism for 1997.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 1ST SESSION OF THE 46TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

THAT the Oklahoma Legislature hereby commends Trooper Mike Holloway for his dedication to service and his professionalism.

THAT the Oklahoma Legislature further extends congratulations to Trooper Mike Holloway for receiving the Trooper of the Year Award for Heroism for 1997, an award richly deserved.

THAT a copy of this resolution be dispatched to Trooper Mike Holloway.

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