

(1ST EXTRAORDINARY SESSION
OF THE 47TH LEGISLATURE)
ENROLLED SENATE
RESOLUTION NO. 3X

By: Taylor, Brown, Cain, Campbell,
Capps, Coffee, Crutchfield,
Dickerson, Douglass, Dunlap,
Easley, Fair, Fisher, Ford,
Haney, Harrison, Helton, Henry,
Herbert, Hobson, Horner,
Johnson, Kerr, Laughlin,
Leftwich, Littlefield, Long,
Maddox, Martin, Mickle,
Milacek, Monson, Morgan,
Muegge, Price, Pruitt, Rabon,
Robinson, Rozell, Shurden,
Smith, Snyder, Stipe,
Wilcoxson, Wilkerson, Williams
and Williamson

A Resolution expressing gratitude to Senator Trish Weedn for her years of service to the State of Oklahoma; congratulating her upon the occasion of her retirement from the Oklahoma State Senate; and directing distribution.

WHEREAS, Trish Weedn was born in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, on May 10, 1950, the daughter of Carl R. Throckmorton and Teddeline Morrell Throckmorton. She later married James A. Weedn and had two children, Marnie and Mindy. She is also a grandmother; and

WHEREAS, Trish Weedn graduated from Lexington High School in Lexington, Oklahoma, and earned a Bachelor's Degree in Political Science from the University of Oklahoma; and

WHEREAS, Trish Weedn has been active in volunteer work having served as Chair of the McClain County Democratic Party, as a Board member of Southwestern College of Christian Ministries, as President of the Sooner Girl Scout Council, and as Secretary/Treasurer of the Purcell Pentecostal Holiness Church; and

WHEREAS, Trish Weedn began her public service on the county level, spending almost ten years as the Assessor of McClain County, Oklahoma. She also served on the Board of Directors of the Oklahoma International Association of Assessing Officers; and

WHEREAS, Senator Trish Weedn has served in the Oklahoma State Senate from District 15 from 1989 to the present. She has served on the Appropriations Committee, Human Resources Committee, Judiciary Committee, and Wildlife Committee. Senator Weedn is Chair of the

General Government Committee and has chaired the Oklahoma Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations; and

WHEREAS, during her Senate career, Senator Weedn has been committed to modernizing local government and improving intergovernmental relations in the State of Oklahoma. She has been a champion of those who did not have the necessary resources to make themselves heard or their influence felt in the political arena; and

WHEREAS, Senator Trish Weedn has announced that she will not stand for re-election in Oklahoma's 15th State Senate District but instead will devote her time and effort to her family.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE 1ST EXTRAORDINARY SESSION OF THE 47TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE:

THAT the Oklahoma State Senate expresses its gratitude to Senator Trish Weedn for her three terms of service to the State of Oklahoma.

THAT the Oklahoma State Senate extends its congratulations and best wishes to Senator Trish Weedn upon the occasion of her retirement from the Oklahoma State Senate.

THAT a copy of this resolution be distributed to Senator Trish Weedn; her husband, James A. Weedn; two daughters, Marnie and Mindy; and Executive Assistant, Pauline Elmore.

Adopted by the Senate the 28th day of June, 2000.

President of the Senate

