

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 49th Legislature (2003)

HOUSE CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION HCR1040

By: Hutchison of the House

and

Littlefield of the Senate

AS INTRODUCED

A Concurrent Resolution recognizing and honoring Marshall Houck for his 56 years of service to the Northeast Oklahoma Electric Cooperative Board; and directing distribution.

WHEREAS, Marshall Houck is to be commended for his strong sense of community involvement; and

WHEREAS, Marshall Houck was born near the Whitewater, Oklahoma, community in 1913, was raised on a farm and has lived in the Dodge community for most of his life; and

WHEREAS, Marshall Houck has received several awards for his community involvement, including the Mr. Livestock Award at the Tulsa State Fair in 1959, the Farm Family of Delaware County at the Muskogee State Fair in 1987 and the OAEC Good Neighbor Meritorious Service Award; and

WHEREAS, Marshall Houck has served on numerous boards throughout his lifetime, including two years on the Dodge School Board, two years on the Grove Hospital Board, two years with the Farmers Home Administration, ten years on the Afton Co-op Board, 15 years on the Delaware County Farmers Co-op, 40 years on the Corner Stone Bank Board and 45 years on the Soil Conservation Board; and

WHEREAS, Marshall Houck has served for 56 years on the Northeast Oklahoma Electric Co-op Board, making him the longest serving member

of a co-op board in the nation. In addition, Marshall Houck has served as President of the board for 15 years; and

WHEREAS, the Oklahoma State Legislature realizes that a person such as Marshall Houck who has earned the respect of his family and his community should receive recognition for a life so full of selfless contributions.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 1ST SESSION OF THE 49TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

THAT the Oklahoma Legislature applauds Marshall Houck for his 56 years of service on the Board of the Northeast Oklahoma Electric Cooperative.

THAT copies of this resolution be distributed to Marshall Houck and to the members of the Northeast Oklahoma Electric Cooperative Board.

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