STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 49th Legislature (2003)

SENATE
RESOLUTION 30 By: Reynolds

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A Resolution praising Oklahoma City Firefighters Local 157 for adopting two Oklahoma City public pools that would have been closed for the summer as a result of budget cuts; and directing distribution.

WHEREAS, when it appeared that 24 Oklahoma City public pools would be closed for the summer due to budget cuts, Oklahoma City Firefighters Local 157 came to the rescue by adopting two of the public junior pools. The Executive Board of the local union voted unanimously to adopt two of the pools; and

WHEREAS, the Oklahoma City Firefighters Local 157 will pay $5,000 per pool to cover the cost of providing lifeguards. Other costs will be paid by the City of Oklahoma City. The pools adopted by the city's firefighters are the E.B. Jeffrey Pool adjacent to Fire Station 24 in Ward 3 and the McCracken Pool adjacent to Fire Station 16 in Ward 4. These two pools were recommended for adoption by the Parks Department; and

WHEREAS, Local 157 President Michael Anderson, who is also a member of the State Fire Marshal Commission, said "We are delighted to be able to do something that makes the summer months so much more fun for children." The pools will be open to the public between June 3 and August 1, 2003.

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

THAT the Oklahoma State Senate praises Oklahoma City Firefighters Local 157 for adopting and keeping open two public

junior pools that would have been closed for the summer as a result of budget cuts.

THAT a copy of this resolution be distributed to Michael L. Anderson, President of the Oklahoma City Firefighters Local 157.

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