

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 51st Legislature (2008)

3 SENATE

4 RESOLUTION 104

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7 AS INTRODUCED

8 A Resolution expressing gratitude to Senator Mike
9 Morgan for his service in the Oklahoma State Senate;
and directing distribution.

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11 WHEREAS, Senator Mike Morgan is completing his twelfth year of
12 service to the citizens of District 21 in the Oklahoma State Senate;
13 and

14 WHEREAS, Mike Morgan was born January 26, 1955, in Tulsa,
15 Oklahoma. He was educated in the Tulsa Public School System and
16 earned a Bachelor of Science degree from Oklahoma State University
17 and a Juris Doctorate from the University of Tulsa. Mike Morgan
18 served as a Municipal Court Judge for the City of Stillwater,
19 Oklahoma, for 12 years. He was also an adjunct professor of
20 Business Law at Oklahoma State University. Mike Morgan maintains a
21 Stillwater law practice that conducts a general civil practice with
22 emphasis on litigation, commercial transactions, and real property.
23 He has a daughter, Abby; and

1 WHEREAS, Mike Morgan has been a member of the Oklahoma State
2 Senate since 1996. Senator Morgan served as Chair of the Senate
3 Appropriations Committee and was selected to serve as President Pro
4 Tempore in March 2005. The Michael S. Morgan Business Accelerator
5 Building, located in Stillwater's Oklahoma Technology and Research
6 Park, is expected to open this November and is a fitting tribute to
7 the State Senator's vital interest in technology and the Stillwater
8 region; and

9 WHEREAS, State Question No. 632, adopted September 18, 1990, and
10 effective January 1, 1991, limits the length of service for a member
11 of the Legislature to a total of twelve years, and as a result,
12 Senator Morgan will not be eligible to stand for reelection this
13 year; and

14 WHEREAS, Mike Morgan has merrily climbed the ladder of
15 leadership of the Oklahoma State Senate, and has inhabited the
16 somber and dignified office of President Pro Tempore with unmatched
17 and sometimes inexplicable cheerfulness. His charm, diplomacy and
18 tact have distinguished his leadership and service to this state.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE 2ND SESSION
20 OF THE 51ST OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE:

21 THAT the Oklahoma State Senate, on behalf of the citizens of
22 Senate District 21 and all citizens of this state, expresses its
23 gratitude to Senator Mike Morgan for his service in the Oklahoma
24 State Senate.

1 THAT a copy of this resolution be distributed to Senator Mike
2 Morgan.

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