

1 ENGROSSED SENATE
2 CONCURRENT
3 RESOLUTION NO. 38

By: Burrage, Adelson, Aldridge,
Allen, Anderson, Ballenger,
Barrington, Bass, Bingman,
Branan, Brecheen, Brinkley,
Brown, Childers, Coates,
Crain, David, Eason
McIntyre, Ellis, Fields,
Ford, Garrison, Griffin,
Halligan, Holt, Ivester,
Johnson (Constance),
Johnson (Rob), Jolley,
Justice, Laster, Lerblance,
Marlatt, Mazzei, McAffrey,
Newberry, Nichols, Paddack,
Russell, Schulz, Shortey,
Simpson, Sparks,
Stanislowski, Sykes, Treat,
Wilson and Wyrick of the
Senate

12 and

13 Sherrer of the House

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15 <StartFT>A Concurrent Resolution thanking Sanders
16 Mitchell for his 35 years of service to the State of
17 Oklahoma; wishing him the best in his retirement; and
18 directing distribution.

19 WHEREAS, Sanders Mitchell began his career at the MidAmerica
20 Industrial Park in Pryor in 1977, serving as general manager for 13
21 years. In 1990, Sanders Mitchell was appointed by Gov. Henry
22 Bellmon as the administrator of the Oklahoma Ordnance Works
23 Authority, the governing body for all MidAmerica Industrial Park
24 operations; and

1 WHEREAS, during Sanders Mitchell's 22-year tenure as
2 administrator of MidAmerica Industrial Park, the facility has grown
3 into the largest industrial area in the state, providing
4 approximately 4,000 high-paying jobs to Oklahomans. MidAmerica
5 Industrial Park is currently home to 80 companies, including an
6 airport, a power generation plant, numerous manufacturing concerns
7 and a \$600 million Google server facility; and

8 WHEREAS, Sanders Mitchell served in the United States Air Force
9 for four years, was a school teacher and worked at the Ozark
10 Regional Commission; and

11 WHEREAS, with the love and support of his wife Sandi, Sanders
12 Mitchell has dedicated more than 35 years of service to the
13 MidAmerica Industrial Park and the State of Oklahoma, and will
14 retire in May.

15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE 2ND SESSION
16 OF THE 53RD OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
17 CONCURRING THEREIN:

18 THAT the Oklahoma State Legislature expresses its sincere thanks
19 and appreciation to Sanders Mitchell for his military service and 35
20 years of professional service to the State of Oklahoma.

21 THAT the Oklahoma State Legislature joins his coworkers, family,
22 and friends in wishing Sanders Mitchell the very best during his
23 well-deserved retirement from state service.

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1 THAT a copy of this resolution be distributed to Sanders
2 Mitchell.

3 Adopted by the Senate the 8th day of May, 2012.

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Presiding Officer of the Senate

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7 Adopted by the House of Representatives the ____ day of _____,

8 2012.

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