

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 55th Legislature (2016)

3 HOUSE  
4 RESOLUTION 1051

By: Ritze

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7 AS INTRODUCED

8 A Resolution commending the outstanding efforts of  
9 men and women who have chosen the healing arts as  
10 their profession; expressing appreciation to the  
11 Oklahoma Osteopathic Association; and directing  
12 distribution.

13 WHEREAS, on this 30th day of March, 2016, the Oklahoma House of  
14 Representatives welcomes the Oklahoma Osteopathic Association; and

15 WHEREAS, the mission of the Oklahoma Osteopathic Association is  
16 to promote the health and wellbeing of all Oklahomans; and

17 WHEREAS, the members of the Oklahoma Osteopathic Association  
18 perfectly represent osteopathic medicine and are committed to  
19 treating the whole person, not just symptoms; and

20 WHEREAS, osteopathic medical schools and residencies provide  
21 unparalleled medical education through osteopathic manipulative  
22 treatment and intensive training on the musculoskeletal system; and

23 WHEREAS, osteopathic medicine empowers a philosophy of four  
24 tenets, including: The body is a unit and the person is a unit of

1 body, mind and spirit; the body is capable of self-regulation, self-  
2 healing, and health maintenance; structure and function are  
3 reciprocally interrelated; and relational treatment is based upon an  
4 understanding of the basic principles of body unity, self-  
5 regulation, and the interrelationship of structure and function.

6 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
7 OF THE 2ND SESSION OF THE 55TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE;

8 THAT the Oklahoma House of Representatives commends the  
9 outstanding efforts of dedicated men and women who have chosen the  
10 healing arts as their profession and committed their lives to  
11 helping others.

12 THAT the Oklahoma House of Representatives wishes to express its  
13 appreciation to the Oklahoma Osteopathic Association and the entire  
14 osteopathic family for its dedication to serving the underserved and  
15 providing unwavering commitment to providing excellent care to the  
16 people of Oklahoma.

17 THAT a copy of this resolution be distributed to C. Michael  
18 Ogle, DO, President of the Oklahoma Osteopathic Association.

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