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2 84th General Assembly
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HR 1003

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5 By: Representatives Blair, Judy

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8 **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

9 TO RECOGNIZE AND COMMEND THE WESTERN ARKANSAS
10 STATE PROFESSIONAL FIREFIGHTERS/IAFF LOCAL S-24
11 OF THE 188TH FIRE DEPARTMENT, ARKANSAS AIR
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14 **Subtitle**

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22 WHEREAS, the Firefighters of the 188th Fire Department, Arkansas Air
23 National Guard, stationed at Ebbing Air National Guard Base, Fort Smith,
24 Arkansas, have performed in an outstanding and exemplary manner in providing
25 the utmost in fire protection to Ebbing Air National Guard Base and the
26 citizens of Fort Smith; and

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28 WHEREAS, IAFF Local S-24/Western State Professional Firefighters has
29 operated in good faith representing the State Military Firefighters of the
30 188th Fire Department in working to provide a more safe and stable work
31 environment; and

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33 WHEREAS, the members of the 188th Fire Department have excelled in fire
34 protection operations and have served in support of Operation Noble Eagle and
35 Operation Enduring Freedom for the United States Air Force, the Arkansas Air
36 National Guard, and the citizens of the State of Arkansas,



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NOW THEREFORE,
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE EIGHTY-FOURTH GENERAL
ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

 THAT the Arkansas House of Representatives hereby formally recognize
the Western Arkansas State Military Firefighters/IAFF Local S-24 of the 188th
Fire Department, Arkansas Air National Guard in their ongoing commitment to
providing the utmost in fire protection, continually striving to improve
themselves and providing a safe and stable work environment for all Fire
Department members and the citizens which they serve.