

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **78th General Assembly**
3 **First Extraordinary Session, 1992**
4 **By: Representative Thicksten**

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7 **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

8 CONGRATULATING THE CITIES OF VAN BUREN, MOUNTAIN HOME,
9 PINE BLUFF, AND TEXARKANA FOR RECEIVING THE "COMMUNITY OF
10 THE DECADE AWARD".

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13 WHEREAS, in November 1991, the cities of Van Buren, Mountain Home, Pine
14 Bluff, and Texarkana each received the Community of the Decade Award from the
15 Governor's Office on Volunteerism; and

16 WHEREAS, Van Buren, Mountain Home, Pine Bluff, and Texarkana were chosen
17 for the award by a blue ribbon selection committee composed of individuals
18 from across the State of Arkansas; and

19 WHEREAS, in order to be nominated for the award each city must have
20 received the Community of the Year Award at least four times during the
21 decade; and

22 WHEREAS, the additional criteria for receiving the Community of the
23 Decade Award included the number of volunteers serving the community, the
24 number of hours devoted by the volunteers, the projects undertaken, and the
25 efforts of the community in meeting the needs of its citizens; and

26 WHEREAS, the cities of Van Buren, Mountain Home, Pine Bluff, and
27 Texarkana have established an outstanding example for the other municipalities
28 within this State;

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30 NOW THEREFORE,

31 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE FIRST EXTRAORDINARY
32 SESSION OF THE SEVENTY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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34 That the cities of Van Buren, Mountain Home, Pine Bluff, and Texarkana
35 are hereby congratulated for receiving the Community of the Decade Award.

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