

**THIS IS A DRAFT AND WILL BE REPLACED BY THE FINAL, SIGNED
RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY CITY COUNCIL.**

A RESOLUTION

**RECOGNIZING THE DEDICATED EFFORTS OF REPRESENTATIVE RUTH
JONES MCCLENDON IN SUPPORT OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO.**

WHEREAS, Representative Ruth Jones McClendon has served District 120 in the State Legislature for 10 legislative sessions, beginning in 1996 and ending with her upcoming retirement in 2016; and

WHEREAS, among her many legislative accomplishments, Representative McClendon introduced legislation creating the “Innocence Commission,” improving mental health treatment for individuals in Texas jails, funding Haven for Hope and other homeless facilities, protecting Camp Bullis from development that might hinder its mission, and strengthening transportation infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, Representative McClendon began her public service career in 1993 as a San Antonio City Councilmember from District 2, where she served until her election to the State Legislature; and

WHEREAS, City Council wishes to recognize Representative McClendon for her tireless efforts in support of the community; **NOW THEREFORE:**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. City Council wishes to recognize Representative Ruth Jones McClendon for her legislative efforts on behalf of the City of San Antonio and to thank her for her years of dedication and support.

SECTION 2. This Resolution is effective immediately upon the receipt of eight affirmative votes; otherwise, it is effective ten days after passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS ___ day of _____, 2015.

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Ivy R. Taylor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk

Martha G. Sepeda, Acting City Attorney