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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 883

Offered February 11, 2019

3 *Commending Richard Brooking.* **4**

Patrons-Freitas; Senator: Reeves

5 WHEREAS, after 31 years of distinguished service to the community as a law-enforcement officer,
7 Richard Brooking retired from the Town of Culpeper Police Department on December 31, 2018; and

8 WHEREAS, Richard Brooking started working in law enforcement at the Culpeper County Sheriff's
9 Office; he joined the Town of Culpeper Police Department in June of 1986 and served as a detective,
10 K-9 officer, and master police officer over the years; and

11 WHEREAS, Richard Brooking was known in his profession as an officer with integrity and one who 12 always treated others as he would want to be treated; and

WHEREAS, Richard Brooking was highly respected by his colleagues and recognized as a police
 officer with high character, unparalleled dedication, and a strong work ethic; and

WHEREAS, in his well-earned retirement, Richard Brooking plans to seek new part-time work, enjoy
more leisure time, and continue his volunteer work of helping people suffering from addiction; now,
therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring, That the General Assembly hereby19 commend Richard Brooking on the occasion of his retirement from the Culpeper Police Department;20 and, be it

21 RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution

for presentation to Richard Brooking as an expression of the General Assembly's admiration for hisservice and exceptional commitment to the residents of Culpeper.