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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 401

Offered February 29, 2020

Commending Gary Fuller.

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WHEREAS, Gary Fuller, deputy planning director with Falls Church Community Planning and Economic Development Services, has served residents of the community for more than 30 years; and

WHEREAS, a native of Charlottesville and a graduate of Old Dominion University and the University of Virginia School of Architecture, Gary Fuller joined Falls Church Community Planning and Economic Development Services as a planner on August 28, 1989, and was promoted to senior planner in June of the following year; and

WHEREAS, over the course of his career, Gary Fuller has served as a planning director, a principal planner, and as a department director for the City of Falls Church; he was the primary staff member for several mixed-use developments and provided staff support for the zoning ordinance revision project; and

WHEREAS, among his many awards and accolades, Gary Fuller received the 2008 Performance Award for his work on the Falls Church City Center review project and has been nominated for multiple employee of the year awards in recognition of his consistent support for local businesses and exemplary work; and

WHEREAS, throughout his career, Gary Fuller has been committed to continuing education, earning certifications from the American Planning Association, George Mason University, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, the American Institute of Certified Planners, and the Virginia Association of Zoning Officials; and

WHEREAS, Gary Fuller has helped countless individuals and businesses in Falls Church better understand the zoning, planning, and permits processes through his extensive knowledge, patience, and professionalism; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring, That the General Assembly hereby commend Gary Fuller for more than 30 years of service as a member of Falls Church Community Planning and Economic Development Services; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to Gary Fuller as an expression of the General Assembly's admiration for his contributions to the Falls Church community.