

By Representatives Stafford and Dawson-White

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House Resolution

A resolution honoring the City of Wilton Manors
on its 50th birthday.

WHEREAS, Wilton Manors was conceived at the height of
the 1920's Florida land boom as a comfortable, carefully
planned suburban community, and

WHEREAS, the Village of Wilton Manors was formed on May
13, 1947, and was incorporated as the City of Wilton Manors on
June 4, 1953, and

WHEREAS, the City of Wilton Manors has maintained the
closeness of a small town amidst a modern metropolitan region
and, also known as "Island City" because it is surrounded by
water, has become a tropical paradise for its citizenry, and

WHEREAS, the high quality of life in the City of Wilton
Manors is the result of the dedication of its families to
building safe and pleasant neighborhoods, and

WHEREAS, successful recreation programs run by the City
of Wilton Manors have instilled the virtues of teamwork and
fair play among its young residents, and

WHEREAS, the residents of Wilton Manors have
demonstrated a commendable level of civic responsibility,
several having served in elected and appointed offices of the
city, county, school board, and state legislature, and

WHEREAS, the City of Wilton Manors began an innovative
recycling program which received statewide recognition at the
1991 Florida Jubilee, and

WHEREAS, the City of Wilton Manors will be celebrating
its 50th birthday on May 13, 1997, NOW, THEREFORE,

1 Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of
2 Florida:

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4 That the House of Representatives of the State of
5 Florida hereby commends the City of Wilton Manors on its 50th
6 anniversary of incorporation.

7 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution
8 be presented to the Council of the City of Wilton Manors as a
9 tangible token of the sentiments expressed herein.

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