

By Representative Byrd

1 House Resolution

2 A resolution commending WCI Communities, Inc.

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4 WHEREAS, known as a leader in customer service and as a  
5 company that attempts to make every customer a fan, WCI  
6 Communities, Inc., is based in Bonita Springs and traces its  
7 roots in Florida back to 1946, and

8 WHEREAS, WCI Communities, Inc., is an outstanding  
9 example of a good corporate citizen, known for its  
10 contributions in the areas of education, youth, and the  
11 environment, and, with respect to the latter, strives, in  
12 partnership with Audubon International, to build communities  
13 in the most environmentally sustainable manner, and

14 WHEREAS, WCI Communities, Inc., has created 34  
15 communities throughout the state, constructed 2,139 luxury  
16 tower residences, and developed 612 holes of golf and more  
17 than 1,000 marina slips; provides employment for nearly 4,000  
18 citizens of Florida, adding immensely to the state's economy;  
19 and, in 2001, achieved a record \$1.11 billion in revenues,  
20 with \$102.2 million in net income, and

21 WHEREAS, on March 12, 2002, WCI Communities, Inc.,  
22 became a publicly traded company by successfully completing an  
23 initial public offering of 6.9 million shares of stock on the  
24 New York Stock Exchange and, in so doing, became the  
25 32nd-largest public company in the state based on revenues,  
26 and

27 WHEREAS, WCI Communities, Inc., CEO Al Hoffman is  
28 renowned for his entrepreneurial spirit, unrivaled vision,  
29 strong leadership, generous nature, and love for Florida, NOW,  
30 THEREFORE,

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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 extends its sincere  
5 congratulations to WCI Communities, Inc., for its achievements  
6 in and contributions to the State of Florida.

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8 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution  
9 be presented to Al Hoffman, CEO of WCI Communities, Inc., as a  
10 tangible token of the sentiments expressed herein.

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