

House Resolution 1329

By: Representatives Butler of the 88th, Post 1, Harper of the 88th, Post 2, Smith of the 87th, and Westmoreland of the 86th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Stanley and Mary Parkman on their Heart Hall of Fame Award; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Stanley and Mary Parkman epitomize the spirit of volunteerism for their 35 plus
4 years of dedication to the American Heart Association; and

5 WHEREAS, in the mid 1970's, the Pilot Club in Carrollton chose the Heart Fund Drive as
6 their community project and two ladies spearheaded this endeavor – Alice Wiggins and Mary
7 Pass; and

8 WHEREAS, these two energetic ladies had a "heart" for the Heart Fund because heart
9 disease had touched their families and friends; and

10 WHEREAS, also in the 1970's, Mary Pass married Stanley Parkman and, as Mr. Parkman
11 fondly states, the Heart Association came with the marriage and now both Parkmans were
12 actively volunteering their time and energy to the Heart Fund; and

13 WHEREAS, Mary became active in Carroll County's communities asking individuals to
14 collect funds from within their neighborhoods in what was called a "residential" drive; and

15 WHEREAS, she spearheaded this effort for many years in Carroll County and under the
16 Parkman's leadership, the Carroll County Heart Association annually met their fund raising
17 goals, through good economic times and bad; and

18 WHEREAS, Carroll County is fortunate to have people of their integrity and caliber and,
19 because of the Parkman's tireless efforts, many advances in heart research have been made
20 and our quality of life has been improved.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
2 the members of this body commend Stanley and Mary Parkman for their 35 years of
3 relentless dedication in helping to combat heart disease and on their Heart Hall of Fame
4 Award.

5 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
6 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Stanley and Mary Parkman.