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I am delighted to join in celebrating the outstanding achievements of the Crime Stoppers of Houston. My heartiest congratulations to each of the concerned citizens, business owners, and members of the media who have helped area law enforcement officials to solve 10,000 felony crime cases in just 10 years.

To win our Nation's fight against illegal drug use and other crime, we must have the cooperation of every citizen in every community across America. By supporting the efforts of Houston's law enforcement professionals, the Houston Crime Stoppers have provided a shining example of this kind of personal commitment and community involvement.

Your accomplishments during the past decade vividly illustrate the positive impact that motivated and dedicated community members can have in making their streets and neighborhoods safer. By providing a means for the public to share knowledge of criminal activities and the whereabouts of fugitives sought by law enforcement agencies, Crime Stoppers has established the equivalent of a citywide dragnet for locating criminal offenders and solving crimes. Your efforts are a force for good in the Houston area, and I commend you on your exemplary commitment to promoting respect for the law.

Barbara joins me in sending our congratulations and best wishes for every success as you embark on your second decade of service to the citizens of Houston and the great State of Texas. God bless you.

*Greg Burt*