



2025 South Dakota Legislature

House Commemoration 8024

Introduced by: **Representative Bathke**

1 **A LEGISLATIVE COMMEMORATION, Recognizing the City of Mitchell as the**
2 **Governor's Office of Economic Development 2025 Community of the Year.**

3 WHEREAS, the City of Mitchell was named the Community of the Year at the South Dakota
4 Governor's Conference on Economic Development on February 26, 2025; and

5 WHEREAS, the award honors the city of Mitchell's ongoing commitment to economic
6 growth, community development, and enhancing the quality of life for residents; and

7 WHEREAS, Mitchell is home to major economic projects, like the High Plains Processing
8 plant, which will bring significant job opportunities and growth to the region; and

9 WHEREAS, Mitchell has invested in its workforce by creating an relocation incentive
10 program, which addresses housing and workforce needs and offers resources for individuals
11 willing to relocate to the city;

12 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT COMMEMORATED, by the One Hundredth Legislature of the State
13 of South Dakota, that the City of Mitchell is the Governor's Office of Economic Development
14 2025 Community of the Year.