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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The talented cast and crew from Tuloso-Midway High
2 School in Corpus Christi distinguished themselves by winning the 4A
3 title at the 2021 University Interscholastic League One-Act Play
4 State Championships; and

5 WHEREAS, Joining the other premier 4A theater groups on April
6 28 and 29 in San Antonio, the Tuloso-Midway team impressed the
7 judges with its stellar production of *Over the River and Through the*
8 *Woods* to earn top honors at the meet; the students had earlier
9 excelled at the district and bi-district levels in March and at the
10 regional event in April; and

11 WHEREAS, In addition to contributing to the team championship
12 at state, several Tuloso-Midway students earned individual honors;
13 Lorena San Pedro won both the Best Performer and Samuel French
14 Awards, Cesar Palacios-Rocha was named to the All-Star Cast, and
15 Adam Flores Jr. was selected for the Honorable Mention All-Star
16 Cast; and

17 WHEREAS, Essential contributions were also made by the other
18 members of the team: Charity Brown, Jessie Calderon, Natalia
19 Canelo, Lauren Cavada, Montgomery Cortez, James Garcia, Jesse
20 Garibay, Erika Hernandez, Gabriella Lopez, Caleb Martinez, Gilbert
21 Martinez, Jodie Perez, Amadis Luna Rodriguez, Jessica Ruibal, Hazel
22 Ruibal, Viviana San Pedro, and Chrisiana Turcios; these determined
23 young Texans benefited from the support and guidance of teachers
24 Wendy Pratt, Curtis Ashby, and Lyn Esquivel; and

1 WHEREAS, Shortly after winning the one-act play title, the
2 Tuloso-Midway theater program received further acclaim when set
3 designer Chris Almaguer earned a bronze medal at the UIL Theatrical
4 Design State Meet, which took place on May 7 and 8; and

5 WHEREAS, By helping their school excel in state competition,
6 each of these students demonstrated hard work, skill, creativity,
7 and a determination to master their respective crafts, and they
8 will treasure their memories of their success for years to come;
9 now, therefore, be it

10 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas
11 Legislature, 2nd Called Session, hereby congratulate the team from
12 Tuloso-Midway High School on winning the 4A title at the 2021 UIL
13 One-Act Play State Championships and extend sincere best wishes to
14 the students and teachers who contributed to this remarkable
15 achievement; and, be it further

16 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
17 prepared for the team as an expression of high regard by the Texas
18 House of Representatives.