

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Sidney Harrist of the Atlanta Independent School  
2 District has been named the 2021 Superintendent of the Year for the  
3 Region 8 Education Service Center; and

4           WHEREAS, Sponsored by the Texas Association of School Boards,  
5 the Superintendent of the Year award program recognizes  
6 administrators who have demonstrated outstanding leadership  
7 skills, dedication to building public support and involvement in  
8 education, and a sustained commitment to improving the quality of  
9 education in their districts; and

10           WHEREAS, A former student of Atlanta ISD, Mr. Harrist has  
11 worked with the district for more than four and a half decades; he  
12 began his career as a history teacher at Atlanta High School, and he  
13 went on to serve as a counselor, principal, and assistant  
14 superintendent; in 2014, he assumed the position of superintendent;  
15 and

16           WHEREAS, Sidney Harrist has worked tirelessly to foster a  
17 supportive and challenging educational environment for young  
18 Texans, and he is indeed a deserving recipient of this prestigious  
19 honor; now, therefore, be it

20           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas  
21 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby congratulate Sidney  
22 Harrist on being named the 2021 Superintendent of the Year for the  
23 Region 8 Education Service Center and extend to him sincere best  
24 wishes for continued success with his important work; and, be it

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1 further

2           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
3 prepared for Mr. Harrist as an expression of high regard by the  
4 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 37 was adopted by the House on October 14, 2021, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House