

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The COVID-19 global pandemic has required health
2 care professionals to confront extraordinary, evolving, and
3 historic challenges, and the physicians, nurses, allied health care
4 staff, support staff, and the administration of BSA Health System
5 have, together as a professional health care team, heroically stood
6 on the front lines in the war against this contagious and deadly
7 virus, and they have resolutely persevered in the face of
8 tremendous adversity wrought by the unseen enemy; and

9 WHEREAS, At the outset of the pandemic, hospitals throughout
10 Texas, including BSA Health System, intently focused on many
11 matters, including preparedness measures, infection control
12 protocols and screenings, personal protective equipment, and the
13 coordination of response efforts with nearby hospitals; and

14 WHEREAS, The unwavering collective resolve and fortitude
15 demonstrated by the staff of BSA Health System is the latest chapter
16 in its history of caring for its patients and the community; tracing
17 its origins to 1901, it is the fourth-largest employer in Amarillo
18 and has a medical staff of more than 450 physicians and 3,400
19 employees; BSA Health System has received many honors for its
20 exceptional patient care; and

21 WHEREAS, Although COVID-19 put a tremendous strain on
22 hospitals across the country, the professional team of BSA Health
23 System worked together to provide medical care to patients and to
24 the community at large under extremely physically and mentally

1 exhausting circumstances; and

2 WHEREAS, In resolutely facing, adapting to, and overcoming
3 the ever-evolving and unprecedented health care circumstances
4 thrust upon them, all associated with the hospital are indeed
5 deserving of recognition for their tireless heroic work on the
6 front lines in the war against COVID-19; now, therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas
8 Legislature hereby commend the physicians, nurses, and entire
9 frontline personnel, including the support staff and
10 administration of BSA Health System, for their outstanding and
11 noble heroic service to the people of Amarillo, the greater Texas
12 Panhandle, and the tristate region of Texas, Oklahoma, and New
13 Mexico; and, be it further

14 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
15 prepared for the staff of BSA Health System as an expression of high
16 regard by the Texas House of Representatives.

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H.R. No. 1895

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1895 was adopted by the House on May 31, 2021, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House