

By: Leo-Wilson

H.R. No. 1461

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Saul Mendoza has ably served his fellow Texans as
2 chief of staff in the office of State Representative Terri
3 Leo-Wilson during the 88th Legislature; and

4 WHEREAS, Since joining Representative Leo-Wilson's staff,
5 Mr. Mendoza has handled a wide variety of challenging tasks and
6 assisted with the member's legislative agenda and her service to
7 constituents in Chambers and Galveston Counties; he joined the
8 staff after working for Representative James White, beginning as an
9 intern and aide during the 83rd Legislature and going on to become
10 legislative and communications director for the 84th Legislature;
11 during the 85th Legislature, he was named Representative White's
12 chief of staff, and over the course of his tenure, he assisted with
13 a number of bills focused on criminal justice and law enforcement
14 reforms; and

15 WHEREAS, Born in Ucareo, Michoacán, Mexico, Mr. Mendoza grew
16 up in Lufkin and studied Spanish literature at The University of
17 Texas at Austin; by the time he graduated in 2012, he had already
18 worked on the campaigns of Representative White and U.S. Senator
19 Ted Cruz and had served in the office of Representative Jim
20 Landtroop during the 82nd Legislature; he has also contributed his
21 time and energy to FreedomWorks and to the campaigns of State
22 Senator Konni Burton and Governor Greg Abbott; in 2014, he was proud
23 to become a naturalized citizen of the United States, and he was
24 named Best Legislative Director by Capitol Crowd in 2015; and

1 WHEREAS, Saul Mendoza has performed his duties as chief of
2 staff with skill and dedication, and he is indeed deserving of
3 special recognition for his fine work; now, therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas
5 Legislature hereby commend Saul Mendoza for his service as chief of
6 staff for State Representative Terri Leo-Wilson and extend to him
7 sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it further

8 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
9 prepared for Mr. Mendoza as an expression of high regard by the
10 Texas House of Representatives.