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S.R. No. 288

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Tracy Stephens has been recognized with a 2025
2 Outstanding Texan Award from the Texas Legislative Black Caucus;
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4 WHEREAS, An expert in flood and stormwater drainage systems,
5 Mr. Stephens is retired from a long career with the City of Houston
6 Public Works and Engineering Department; over the years, he has
7 served as a consultant for the Harris County Flood Control District
8 and the Texas Department of Transportation as well as a community
9 advisor for the Houston Ship Channel Expansion Project 11; and

10 WHEREAS, Mr. Stephens has further benefited his community
11 through his extensive civic engagement, giving generously of his
12 time and expertise as a member of the Harris County Community Flood
13 Resilience Task Force, the Texas General Land Office Community
14 Development Block Grant Mitigation Citizen Advisory Committee, the
15 East End District Rail Safety Task Force, and other groups; he also
16 serves as president of the Sunnyside Civic Club and as a board
17 member of Achieving Community Tasks Successfully, and he is active
18 in several area super neighborhood councils; and

19 WHEREAS, Tracy Stephens sets an inspiring example of service
20 and achievement for his fellow Texans, and he is indeed deserving of
21 special recognition for all that he has accomplished in behalf of
22 the Houston community; now, therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, That the Senate of the 89th Texas Legislature
24 hereby congratulate Tracy Stephens on his receipt of a 2025

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1 Outstanding Texan Award from the Texas Legislative Black Caucus and
2 extend to him sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further
3 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
4 prepared for Mr. Stephens as an expression of high regard by the
5 Texas Senate.