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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Linda Krause of Wellington Elementary School in 2 Flower Mound has been named the 2003 Texas Outstanding Social 3 Studies Teacher of the Year by the Texas Council for the Social 4 Studies; and

5 WHEREAS, Mrs. Krause received this notable honor based on 6 letters of recommendation, lesson plans, photos of classroom 7 activities, education, and professional achievements; her name 8 will now be submitted to the National Council for the Social Studies 9 for consideration as the national Social Studies Teacher of the 10 Year; and

11 WHEREAS, An educator for 27 years, Mrs. Krause helps her 12 students to excel in the subjects of history, social studies, and 13 geography while teaching them to appreciate what it means to live in 14 a democratic society; and

WHEREAS, A valuable resource and mentor for other teachers, she continually strives to learn new and better methods of instruction; in the past summer alone, she spent eight days meeting with constitutional scholars while attending the prestigious We the People: The Citizen and the Constitution Institute at James Madison University in Virginia; and

21 WHEREAS, This outstanding educator has placed countless 22 students on the path to a bright future, and her exemplary efforts 23 serve as an inspiration to students and colleagues alike; now, 24 therefore, be it

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1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas 2 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby congratulate Linda Krause 3 on her receipt of the Texas Outstanding Social Studies Teacher of 4 the Year award and extend to her best wishes for continued success 5 and happiness; and, be it further

6 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 7 prepared for Mrs. Krause as an expression of high regard by the 8 Texas House of Representatives.