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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, On April 24, 2004, the San Antonio Youth Council of the NAACP hosted the fifth annual Youth Image Awards Banquet; and WHEREAS, Part of the Alamo City's Fiesta Celebration, this important event celebrates the outstanding accomplishments of elementary, middle, and high school students in the areas of

6 academics, military science, athletics, fine arts, leadership, and 7 volunteerism; and

WHEREAS, Since 1936, the Youth and College Division of the 8 NAACP has helped to develop effective leadership skills in young 9 people through developmental training and other programs; more than 10 11 60 students currently participate in the San Antonio chapter of the 12 NAACP Youth Council, an organization devoted to solving the problems affecting people of color, advancing their economic, 13 14 educational, social, and political status, and stimulating an appreciation of the African American contribution to civilization; 15 16 and

WHEREAS, This stellar organization contributes greatly to the strength of the Lone Star State by encouraging, empowering, and rewarding young Texans who strive for excellence, an endeavor that is building a brighter and more promising future for all Texas residents; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas Legislature, 4th Called Session, hereby commend the San Antonio Youth Council of the NAACP on the occasion of the fifth annual Youth

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1 Image Awards Banquet; and, be it further

2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 3 prepared for the San Antonio Youth Council of the NAACP as an 4 expression of high regard by the Texas House of Representatives.