

By: Gallego

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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Reeves County sheriff's deputy Frank "Frankie"  
2 Campos demonstrated quick thinking and keen judgment on April 4,  
3 2004, saving untold lives with his decisive actions; and

4           WHEREAS, In the aftermath of severe flooding in Toyah, Deputy  
5 Campos alertly stopped traffic on Interstate 20 and immediately  
6 contacted his dispatcher after recognizing the imminent collapse of  
7 the bridge at Salt Draw; and

8           WHEREAS, Less than an hour after these preventive measures  
9 were taken, the eastbound lanes of the interstate highway collapsed  
10 into the draw; no one was injured, thanks to the commendable efforts  
11 of Deputy Campos; and

12           WHEREAS, A graduate of Pecos High School and the Odessa  
13 College Law Enforcement Academy, this dedicated officer has been a  
14 full-time deputy since January 2004; he is a source of pride to his  
15 family, friends, and fellow officers, and it is a pleasure to join  
16 in honoring him for the pivotal role he played in averting a  
17 potential tragedy; now, therefore, be it

18           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas  
19 Legislature, 4th Called Session, hereby commend Deputy Frank  
20 "Frankie" Campos for his life-saving efforts on April 4, 2004, and  
21 extend sincere appreciation to him for his continued service in  
22 support of the citizens of Texas; and, be it further

23           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
24 prepared for Deputy Campos as an expression of high regard by the

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1 Texas House of Representatives.