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CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, E. Ray Elementary School in Fort Worth has been 2 awarded recognized status by the Texas Education Agency for its 3 impressive achievements during the 2001-2002 school year; and

WHEREAS, Located in the Everman Independent School District, this North Texas school is under the skilled leadership of principal James King, whose dedication and hard work, coupled with that of teachers, students, and parents, have greatly advanced the school's pursuit of excellence in education; and

WHEREAS, Among the rigorous criteria that must be met to achieve recognized status are a high degree of student success on the TAAS, outstanding attendance, and a minimal dropout rate; and

WHEREAS, The students, faculty, and administrators of E. Ray Elementary School are a vital part of the Lone Star State's public education system, and their notable accomplishments are most deserving of special recognition; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the 78th Legislature of the State of Texas hereby congratulate E. Ray Elementary School on its receipt of recognized status for 2001-2002 from the Texas Education Agency and extend sincere congratulations to superintendent Dan Powell, principal James King, and the many other individuals who are associated with this outstanding school; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be prepared for the school as an expression of high regard by the Texas House of Representatives and Senate.