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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, On this day, members of Leadership Southwest are  
2 visiting the Capitol in an effort to gain further insight into the  
3 workings of state government, and this occasion provides a fitting  
4 opportunity to recognize these esteemed citizens; and

5           WHEREAS, Sponsored by the DeSoto, Cedar Hill, Duncanville,  
6 Lancaster, and Oak Cliff chambers of commerce, Leadership Southwest  
7 prepares its participants for community service by providing them  
8 with personal leadership skills training and by increasing their  
9 knowledge of such vital community issues as economic development,  
10 the justice system and law enforcement, health and human services,  
11 and transportation; and

12           WHEREAS, Approximately 40 men and women from both the private  
13 and the public sector were chosen to participate in the program this  
14 year; they represent a cross section of their communities and were  
15 selected for their shared interest in community service and issues  
16 affecting communities, their willingness to commit themselves to  
17 the program's challenging schedule, and their desire for personal  
18 growth; and

19           WHEREAS, To that end, participants attend day-long sessions,  
20 held monthly from September through May, where they receive  
21 instruction from prominent community and business leaders on issues  
22 affecting communities today; and

23           WHEREAS, These lessons not only enable participants to become  
24 more well informed but also to contribute to a bright and promising

1 future for the greater Southwest Dallas County area through their  
2 participation on local boards and commissions following their  
3 graduation; now, therefore, be it

4       RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas  
5 Legislature hereby honor the members of Leadership Southwest and  
6 extend sincere best wishes to them for a memorable and informative  
7 visit to Austin; and, be it further

8       RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
9 prepared for Leadership Southwest as an expression of high regard  
10 by the Texas House of Representatives.