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H.R. No. 30

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, For more than 26 years the Nucor Steel Bar Mill Group  
2 in Jewett has greatly benefited Leon County by providing jobs,  
3 ensuring a safe work environment, and helping to protect the vital  
4 natural resources of our state; and

5           WHEREAS, Nucor's Jewett facility recycles 750,000 tons of  
6 scrap metal each year, diverting it from our state's landfills; a  
7 major upgrade to this plant will raise this capacity to one million  
8 tons of recycled steel per year, helping to make Nucor the largest  
9 recycler in the nation; and

10           WHEREAS, The company has been certified by the International  
11 Organization for Standardization for implementing internationally  
12 accepted practices to ensure exceptional operations and service;  
13 and

14           WHEREAS, Among Nucor mills, the Jewett location has achieved  
15 the best safety record, including an outstanding performance by  
16 employees in the roll mills, the melting and casting shop, and the  
17 environmental, finance, lab, shipping, traffic, and maintenance  
18 departments; and

19           WHEREAS, The company is an asset to the community of Jewett  
20 and to the State of Texas; it strives to save energy and help the  
21 earth, while boosting the local economy and providing a much needed  
22 product; now, therefore, be it

23           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas  
24 Legislature hereby commend the Nucor Steel Bar Mill Group in Jewett

1 and its employees for their outstanding safety record and for their  
2 commitment to preserving and protecting the natural resources of  
3 Texas; and, be it further

4         RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
5 prepared for the employees of the Nucor Steel Bar Mill Group in  
6 Jewett as an expression of high regard by the Texas House of  
7 Representatives.