

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Ruth Marion Livingston of Austin has attained the
2 highest honor in the Girl Scouts of America, the Gold Award; and

3 WHEREAS, Ms. Livingston was born in Austin on July 26, 1988,
4 to Kirk and Janis Livingston; she attended Cedar Creek Elementary
5 School and Hill Country Middle School and is currently a freshman at
6 Westlake High School, where she is a member of the women's lacrosse
7 team; and

8 WHEREAS, Ms. Livingston has held various leadership roles in
9 the Lone Star Girl Scouts over the past eight years, including troop
10 scribe and patrol leader, and has volunteered in the scout shop;
11 this notable young woman holds the Junior, Cadette, and Senior
12 leadership awards, the Four Signs of Junior Achievement, and the
13 Cadette Silver Award; and

14 WHEREAS, Ms. Livingston contributes to her community by
15 volunteering at the Austin Nature Center, the humane society, the
16 food bank, and her church; she has earned the community service
17 scouting bars for Cadette Scouts and Senior Scouts; and

18 WHEREAS, The Gold Award Project executed by this determined
19 young lady involved planning, designing, and creating room signs
20 for new troop houses at Camp Texlake; she will receive her award in
21 April 2003 at a formal ceremony held for all Lone Star Girl Scout
22 Gold Award recipients; and

23 WHEREAS, It is a special achievement to earn the Girl Scout
24 Gold Award, as it is granted only to an average of 10 girls in

1 Central Texas annually, and Ms. Livingston is truly worthy of
2 special praise for this considerable accomplishment; now,
3 therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas
5 Legislature hereby commend Ruth Marion Livingston for her
6 dedication to scouting and achieving the Girl Scout Gold Award and
7 extend to her sincere best wishes for continued success and
8 happiness; and, be it further

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

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H.R. No. 306

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 306 was adopted by the House on April 3, 2003, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House