

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Bernyce Crownover, a longtime Ellis County  
2 resident, has been named the 2002 Waxahachie Citizen of the Year,  
3 and this award is a fitting tribute to a Texan who over the years has  
4 made countless contributions to many worthy local civic, business,  
5 and charitable organizations; and

6           WHEREAS, Mrs. Crownover has generously contributed to  
7 planning, organizing, and coordinating such local events as the  
8 Crape Myrtle Festival, Cotton Patch Chili Cookoff, Candlelight  
9 Christmas Home Tour, Gingerbread Trail and Historic Home Tour, and  
10 Bob Phillips Texas Country Reporter Festival; in addition, she has  
11 been a valued member of the Ellis County Business Women's Board who  
12 has long demonstrated great interest in helping Texas firms, as  
13 evidenced through her work with the Business Expo and the  
14 Waxahachie Chamber of Commerce, on which she served as chair in  
15 1998; and

16           WHEREAS, This dynamic woman is also a tireless advocate for  
17 our state's most vulnerable citizens, and her work in behalf of  
18 abused and neglected children has been vital to associations that  
19 include the Gingerbread House, Ellis County's children's advocacy  
20 center, and the Texas Council of Child Welfare Board; her many  
21 accomplishments have been recognized throughout the Ellis County  
22 community, which last year proclaimed February 11 to be Bernyce  
23 Crownover Day, and she was honored as the Volunteer of the Year in  
24 2000 and the First Lady of Waxahachie in 1992; and

1           WHEREAS, Over the course of her life, this exemplary  
2 individual has dedicated herself to the betterment of her community  
3 and state, and it is through efforts such as hers that Waxahachie  
4 retains the high quality of life its residents enjoy today; now,  
5 therefore, be it

6           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas  
7 Legislature hereby congratulate Bernyce Crownover on being named  
8 the 2002 Waxahachie Citizen of the Year and extend to her warmest  
9 best wishes for continued happiness and success in her future  
10 endeavors; and, be it further

11           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
12 prepared for Mrs. Crownover as an expression of high regard by the  
13 Texas House of Representatives.

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Craddick	Giddings	Merritt
Allen	Goodman	Miller
Alonzo	Goolsby	Moreno of Harris
Bailey	Griggs	Moreno of El Paso
Baxter	Grusendorf	Morrison
Berman	Guillen	Mowery
Bohac	Gutierrez	Naishtat
Bonnen	Haggerty	Nixon
Branch	Hamilton	Noriega
Brown of Kaufman	Hamric	Oliveira
Brown of Brazos	Hardcastle	Olivo
Burnam	Harper-Brown	Paxton
Callegari	Hartnett	Pena
Campbell	Heflin	Phillips
Canales	Hegar	Pickett
Capelo	Hilderbran	Pitts
Casteel	Hill	Puente
Castro	Hochberg	Quintanilla
Chavez	Hodge	Rangel
Chisum	Homer	Raymond
Christian	Hope	Reyna
Coleman	Hopson	Riddle
Cook of Navarro	Howard	Ritter
Cook of Colorado	Hughes	Rodriguez
Corte	Hunter	Rose
Crabb	Hupp	Seaman
Crownover	Isett	Smith of Tarrant
Davis of Harris	Jones of Lubbock	Smith of Harris
Davis of Dallas	Jones of Bexar	Smithee
Dawson	Jones of Dallas	Solis
Delisi	Keel	Solomons
Denny	Keffer of Dallas	Stick
Deshotel	Keffer of Eastland	Swinford
Driver	King	Talton
Dukes	Kolkhorst	Taylor
Dunnam	Krusee	Telford
Dutton	Kuempel	Thompson
Edwards	Laney	Truitt
Eiland	Laubenberg	Turner
Eissler	Lewis	Uresti
Elkins	Luna	Van Arsdale
Ellis	Mabry	Villarreal
Farabee	Madden	West
Farrar	Marchant	Wilson
Flores	Martinez Fischer	Wise
Flynn	McCall	Wohlgemuth
Gallego	McClendon	Wolens
Garza	McReynolds	Wong
Gattis	Menendez	Woolley
Geren	Mercer	Zedler

H.R. No. 388

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 388 was adopted by the House on March 4, 2003, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House