

By: Moreno of El Paso

H.R. No. 933

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Blanca Enriquez of El Paso has received a great and
2 well-deserved honor with her appointment to the advisory board of
3 the National Institute for Literacy (NIFL); and

4 WHEREAS, In 2002, Ms. Enriquez was nominated by President
5 Bush to the NIFL advisory board, and she was confirmed as a member
6 of that board on January 29, 2003, by the United States Senate; and

7 WHEREAS, The National Institute for Literacy is a federal
8 organization dedicated to the development of high-quality literacy
9 services so that all Americans can develop essential literacy
10 skills, and the advisory board has the responsibility for guiding
11 the institute toward achieving this important goal; and

12 WHEREAS, An associate executive director at the Region XIX
13 Education Center and director of the region's Head Start program,
14 Ms. Enriquez is an experienced leader committed to serving the
15 educational needs of children, specifically those from low-income
16 families; and

17 WHEREAS, Among her professional accomplishments, Ms.
18 Enriquez has created an interactive museum that promotes literacy
19 development through exhibits on technology, science, math,
20 history, and the arts; she was recently awarded a grant from the
21 United States Department of Education to establish early childhood
22 centers for excellence; and

23 WHEREAS, Ms. Enriquez has made and will undoubtedly continue
24 to make significant contributions toward providing critical

1 literacy services to children throughout the country, and it is
2 most appropriate to take this opportunity to recognize her; now,
3 therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas
5 Legislature hereby congratulate Blanca Enriquez on her appointment
6 to the National Institute for Literacy advisory board and extend to
7 her sincere best wishes for success in all her future endeavors;
8 and, be it further

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