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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A great city is not judged by its size, power, or
2 wealth, but by the kind of man it chooses as its leader; and

3 WHEREAS, The three-time All-America City of Edinburg has
4 bestowed the honor and responsibility of leadership on Eddie
5 Cisneros-Johnson, elected in the spring of 2003 as city council
6 member by an informed and active constituency; and

7 WHEREAS, Councilman Cisneros-Johnson brings with him the
8 strength of character forged by a lifetime of achievements and
9 lessons learned, and in his new post he will continue building on
10 Edinburg's reputation as a regional leader in our beloved state;
11 and

12 WHEREAS, This dedicated public servant puts a high priority
13 in the real objective of education, which is to give children
14 resources that will endure as long as life endures; habits that time
15 will ameliorate, not destroy; occupations that will render sickness
16 tolerable, solitude pleasant, age venerable, and life more
17 dignified and useful; and

18 WHEREAS, Councilman Cisneros-Johnson's vision of leadership
19 is based on the belief that the best government is one that teaches
20 us to govern ourselves, and he is and will be a key figure in the
21 economic and educational advances that will propel Edinburg into
22 being one of the preeminent cities in Texas; and

23 WHEREAS, The foundation for a great city will be enhanced
24 during his public service through a great emphasis on public

1 safety, infrastructure, improvements, and government
2 accountability to the people; and

3 WHEREAS, The hopes for a great city will be realized during
4 his public service, including the planned opening of the \$20
5 million University of Texas Regional Academic Health Center,
6 multimillion dollar expansions of The University of Texas-Pan
7 American, and the further development of U.S. Expressway 281 into
8 the future Interstate Highway 69; and

9 WHEREAS, While serving as a member of the Edinburg City
10 Council, Eddie Cisneros-Johnson will set a high standard of
11 leadership based on his noble goal of being truly esteemed by his
12 fellow citizens by rendering himself worthy of their esteem; now,
13 therefore, be it

14 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas
15 Legislature hereby commend Eddie Cisneros-Johnson for his past and
16 future service in behalf of Edinburg, the three-time All-America
17 City; and, be it further

18 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
19 prepared for Councilman Cisneros-Johnson as an expression of high
20 regard by the Texas House of Representatives.