

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 336

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Sylvia Bolling, who has been honored by the Metropolitan Transit Authority of Harris County during Black History Month for her outstanding contributions to the Houston region; and

WHEREAS, Sylvia Bolling began a personal crusade ten years ago to engage young people in the Aldine area in positive and nurturing activities, including after-school programs and visits to the library; and

WHEREAS, Her vision for enriching the lives of these deserving young Texans led her to establish the Aldine Youth Community Center, where she serves as executive director; and

WHEREAS, The center offers counseling, parent education, General Educational Development classes, English as a Second Language classes, and a food pantry; and

WHEREAS, Sylvia has played a major role in the betterment of the Aldine neighborhood and has earned such accolades as the American Institute for Public Service's Jefferson Award and the Warner Cable Hometown Hero Award in recognition of her leadership and contributions to the community; and

WHEREAS, An exemplary citizen, Sylvia Bolling is a source of strength to others, and she deserves recognition for her hard work and many accomplishments on behalf of the young people of Aldine; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 78th Legislature, hereby commend Sylvia Bolling on her selection as an honoree of the Metropolitan Transit Authority of Harris County and extend best wishes to her for the future; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for her as an expression of esteem from the Texas Senate.

Gallegos

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on March 10, 2003.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate