

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 839

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Dwight Boykins on his selection as a 2003 Minority Achiever by the Young Men's Christian Association of Greater Houston; and

WHEREAS, An Achiever is one who is highly dedicated to his or her field and has ascended the ladder of opportunity by demonstrating abilities and skills in leadership, management, and supervision; Dwight received his award at the Young Men's Christian Association of Greater Houston's 2003 Awards Gala on March 21, 2003; and

WHEREAS, Assistant vice president of governmental affairs and community relations at Texas Southern University, Dwight was promoted to his present position in September of 2000; he began his professional career in banking and then ventured into the profession he believes to be the most rewarding of all--higher education; and

WHEREAS, Dwight was effective in facilitating the university's first federal appropriation, and he worked with the 77th Texas Legislature to restore programs and to bring a record amount of scholarship money to the university; and

WHEREAS, Dwight is active in a number of civic, charitable, and professional associations, and he is a member of the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Incorporated; he has been married for 14 years to his lovely wife, Genora Boykins; and

WHEREAS, Dwight Boykins's worthy accomplishments reflect his skill and leadership abilities; he has distinguished himself

in his profession and is a role model and an inspiration to others in his community; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 78th Legislature, hereby commend Dwight Boykins for his exceptional achievements and his valuable contributions to his community and extend congratulations to him on his selection for the 2003 Minority Achiever Award from the Young Men's Christian Association of Greater Houston; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for Dwight Boykins as an expression of high regard from the Texas Senate.

Ellis

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 14, 2003.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate