

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The McAllen Hispanic Chamber of Commerce has been
2 named the state's small chamber of the year by the Texas Association
3 of Mexican-American Chambers of Commerce; and

4 WHEREAS, The award recognizes a chamber for its commitment to
5 its members, businesses, and community, and for providing quality
6 training, leadership, and access to contract opportunities; and

7 WHEREAS, The McAllen chamber consistently assists small
8 businesses in the area by promoting economic development in the
9 Hispanic market and offering networking and educational
10 opportunities; the chamber is also a satellite office for the Small
11 Business Administration and partners with numerous organizations,
12 including the South Texas Minority Business Opportunity Committee
13 and the Women's Empowerment Business Centers; and

14 WHEREAS, The McAllen Hispanic Chamber of Commerce enriches
15 the lives of the city's residents by fostering a healthy economic
16 climate and promoting responsible business practices, and all those
17 associated with the chamber merit special recognition for their
18 achievements; now, therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
20 Legislature, 2nd Called Session, hereby congratulate the McAllen
21 Hispanic Chamber of Commerce on being named the state's small
22 chamber of the year by the Texas Association of Mexican-American
23 Chambers of Commerce and extend to its staff and board of directors
24 sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

H.R. No. 211

1 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
2 prepared for the McAllen chamber as an expression of high regard by
3 the Texas House of Representatives.

Gonzales

H.R. No. 211

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 211 was adopted by the House on August 16, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House