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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Dr. Robert Schwebel has deservedly been named Man of the Year by the Brazoria Chamber of Commerce; and

WHEREAS, The Man of the Year award was created to honor
Brazoria citizens who have made significant contributions to their
community, and Dr. Schwebel is indeed one such individual, having

6 long been committed to enriching the lives of others; and

WHEREAS, This esteemed gentleman has led efforts to draw increased attention to Brazoria by helping to preserve the rich heritage of this historical community and its environs, which is proudly regarded by many as the place "Where Texas Began"; and

WHEREAS, Through his work as president of the Brazoria Heritage Foundation, he has played a pivotal role in a project designed to transform the former Brazoria Elementary School into a civic center and museum that will become a showpiece for the community; to that end, he has spent countless hours recruiting volunteers, organizing fund-raisers, soliciting donations, and applying for grant money; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Schwebel's genuine love of history and valuable promotion of Brazoria have made him most worthy of the recognition bestowed on him by his community, and it is a pleasure to join his fellow citizens in honoring him; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas Legislature, 2nd Called Session, hereby congratulate Dr. Robert Schwebel on being named Man of the Year by the Brazoria Chamber of

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- 1 Commerce and commend him for his dedication to preserving the
- 2 history of his community and thereby the Lone Star State; and, be it
- 3 further
- 4 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 5 prepared for Dr. Schwebel as an expression of high regard by the
- 6 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 218 was adopted by the House on August 16, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House