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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Martin Lujan admirably performs his duties as chief 2 of staff of the office of State Representative Pete Gallego, and he 3 is to be commended for his commitment to excellence in this 4 demanding role; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. Lujan joined Representative Gallego's staff 6 prior to the commencement of the 78th Legislative Session, and his talents and abilities soon gained him the position of chief of 7 staff; he previously served as a staff member of the Office of the 8 Chief Clerk during the 77th Legislative Session and 9 as а legislative policy analyst for the Mexican American Legislative 10 11 Caucus, and he has also worked for the Texas Commission on 12 Environmental Quality; and

WHEREAS, Born in San Carlos, Mexico, Mr. Lujan came to the United States as a child and worked hard to learn English and excel in school; when his family returned to Mexico, the precocious seven-year-old refused to return with them, preferring to stay in Texas and get an education; and

18 WHEREAS, A graduate of Alpine High School and the first 19 member of his family to earn a high school diploma, Mr. Lujan served 20 in the U.S. Navy for seven years before beginning pursuit of his 21 longtime goal of attaining higher education; during his tenure in 22 the navy, this exceptional individual gained and maintained 23 numerous leadership positions, consistently demonstrating a 24 maturity beyond his years; and

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1 WHEREAS, Despite obstacles in his path toward success, Martin 2 Lujan has displayed admirable perseverance in all his endeavors, 3 and his tenure as chief of staff for the Honorable Pete Gallego 4 represents yet another significant achievement in the life of this 5 remarkable gentleman; now, therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas 7 Legislature, 2nd Called Session, hereby honor Martin Lujan for his 8 service as chief of staff of the office of State Representative Pete 9 Gallego and recognize him for his hard work in behalf of the 10 constituents of House District 74 and all the citizens of Texas; 11 and, be it further

12 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 13 prepared for Mr. Lujan as an expression of high regard by the Texas 14 House of Representatives.

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I certify that H.R. No. 242 was adopted by the House on August 17, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House