

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 22

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize the members of the Houston Chapter of the Crockett Colored High/Ralph J. Bunche Alumni, Ex-Students, and Teachers Association as they host their 2005 reunion; and

WHEREAS, Crockett Colored High became Ralph J. Bunche High School in 1952, and in 1965, it merged with the previously all-white Crockett High School as integration came to Houston County; and

WHEREAS, The association is expanding its reunion this year to honor graduates from all the Houston County schools that closed as a result of consolidation or integration; these schools were Center Grove, Gudebly, Kennard, Post Oak, Reesoben, W. R. Banks, and Williams High School, in addition to Ralph J. Bunche High School; and

WHEREAS, Association members have maintained communications and close relations through the years and have been holding triennial reunions; and

WHEREAS, This year's reunion will be held in Houston August 26 through 28 at the Park Plaza Reliant Center Hotel and will consist of numerous activities and events, including a picnic, a banquet and dance, and a morning worship service; and

WHEREAS, The reunion is an opportunity for the ex-students and teachers of these schools to reminisce about the many adventures they shared and reunion activities of years past and to express their longtime commitment to their schools and to tradition, unity, and lasting friendship; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas,
79th Legislature, 2nd Called Session, hereby commend the Houston
Chapter of the Crockett Colored High/Ralph J. Bunche High School
Alumni, Ex-Students, and Teachers Association for hosting this
Mass Reunion and extend best wishes to all for a joyful event;
and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared in
honor of this occasion.

Ellis

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the
above Resolution was adopted by
the Senate on July 28, 2005.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate