

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The city of Gainesville has been selected as a
2 National Main Street City in recognition of its outstanding
3 commitment to the development of its historic downtown area; and

4 WHEREAS, Sponsored by the Texas Historical Commission and the
5 National Trust for Historic Preservation, this honor is bestowed on
6 cities that excel in 10 categories, with selection criteria focused
7 on planning, staff and volunteers, preservation ethic, training,
8 and program assessment; and

9 WHEREAS, The designation rewards Gainesville's industrious
10 and resourceful Main Street Advisory Board for its efforts to
11 strengthen the core of the city by addressing the program's four
12 main principles: organization, promotion, design, and economic
13 growth; and

14 WHEREAS, The civic leaders of Gainesville are justifiably
15 proud of their town's latest accomplishment, and the Main Street
16 Award demonstrates the exceptional leadership, vision, and
17 volunteerism of local residents; now, therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
19 Legislature hereby congratulate the city of Gainesville on its
20 designation as a National Main Street City and commend all those
21 involved for their vital efforts in behalf of the city.

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H.R. No. 188

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 188 was adopted by the House on
February 17, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House