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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The El Paso Lighthouse for the Blind has honored
John McCain for sterling work performed in support of the agency's
philanthropic mission; and

WHEREAS, Established in 1934, this notable organization 4 5 offers training, resources, and services that provide the blind and 6 visually impaired with access to the opportunities and quality of life available to everyone around them; its programs include 7 on-the-job training and employment, youth activities, low-vision 8 and ocular services, Braille classes, transportation, counseling 9 and peer support, and computer technology training, in addition to 10 11 instruction in orientation, mobility, and independent living 12 skills; and

WHEREAS, John McCain has rendered exceptional service in behalf of the El Paso Lighthouse for the Blind and has truly been an asset to the group; energetic and capable, Mr. McCain is a deserving recipient of the Volunteer of the Year Award; and

17 WHEREAS, For seven decades, the El Paso Lighthouse has 18 provided essential services to the visually impaired of Southwest 19 Texas, and its contributions to the community have been 20 immeasurably aided by the outstanding efforts of this dedicated 21 individual; now, therefore, be it

22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas 23 Legislature hereby congratulate John McCain on earning the 24 Volunteer of the Year Award from the El Paso Lighthouse for the

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H.R. No. 1140 1 Blind and extend to this fine Texan sincere best wishes for 2 continued success; and, be it further

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1140 was adopted by the House on May 9, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House