
#### Abstract

RESOLUTION WHEREAS, On this day, students involved in the Empowering Teen Leaders program of the Urban Youth Development Program of the Texas Cooperative Extension are visiting the State Capitol, and this occasion provides a fitting opportunity to pay tribute to this outstanding endeavor; and

WHEREAS, The program seeks to create a learning experience that is stimulating and satisfying to all aspects of a student's nature and to help young urban Texans develop life skills and form attitudes that will enable them to become self-directed and productive members of society; and

WHEREAS, Moreover, these vital efforts promote active contribution to civic life and encourage teens to make a positive impact on their community through volunteering; to that end, participants take part in a Government in Action interactive learning experience, meeting with elected state officials and experiencing the legislative process firsthand; and

WHEREAS, The high school juniors and seniors present today join a select group of students that have previously received this training, and through their involvement, these young role models are demonstrating great initiative and maturity; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas Legislature hereby commend the members of the Empowering Teen Leaders program for their commitment to working for a brighter


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1 future for Texas and extend to them sincere best wishes for 2 continued success; and, be it further RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be prepared for the students as an expression of high regard by the Texas House of Representatives.

Allen of Harris

I certify that H.R. No. 1159 was adopted by the House on May 9, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House

