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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Those Texans who demonstrate great courage in
- 2 emergency situations are truly deserving of our admiration and
- 3 gratitude, and Carmenita Littlejohn of El Paso is one such
- 4 individual; and
- 5 WHEREAS, A teacher at Montwood Middle School, Ms. Littlejohn
- 6 was accompanying sixth-grade students on a walking field trip when
- 7 a driver lost control of his car, which veered directly toward the
- 8 group; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Reacting quickly, Ms. Littlejohn rushed straight
- 10 into the path of the speeding vehicle to push two students to
- 11 safety, striking her head in the process, but downplaying her
- injury so as not to further scare her students; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Her selfless act of heroism most assuredly saved the
- 14 lives of two of her students, and in acting as she did, Ms.
- 15 Littlejohn distinguished herself as a remarkable member of her
- 16 community and earned recognition from the El Paso Area Chapter of
- 17 the American Red Cross; now, therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
- 19 Legislature hereby honor Carmenita Littlejohn of El Paso for her
- 20 heroism and extend to her sincere best wishes for the future; and,
- 21 be it further
- 22 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 23 prepared for Ms. Littlejohn as an expression of high regard by the
- 24 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1199 was adopted by the House on April 29, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House