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R E S O L U T I O N

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
12 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

18 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.