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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Through their heroism, nine-year-old Brandon Denson
2 and five-year-old Cassie Denson of San Antonio helped to avert a
3 terrible tragedy and saved the life of their father; and

4 WHEREAS, On April 23, 2005, Tony Denson was performing a
5 routine brake repair and oil change on his car when he accidentally
6 knocked over the jack supporting the elevated automobile; suddenly
7 trapped beneath the heavy vehicle, he called to his son for help;
8 and

9 WHEREAS, After attempting to lift the car himself, young
10 Brandon cried out for help, gaining the attention of Lupe Preston,
11 the Densons' neighbor; Ms. Preston instructed Brandon and his
12 sister Cassie to seek help while she called 9-1-1; the children
13 quickly enlisted the assistance of several neighbors who were able
14 to lift the car long enough for Mr. Denson to escape; and

15 WHEREAS, In recognition of their swift response to a crisis,
16 the Denson children were honored by their respective scouting
17 troops; Brandon, a member of Webelos Pack No. 333, received the Boy
18 Scout Heroism Award, and Cassie, a Girl Scout Daisy and member of
19 Troop No. 3330, was awarded the Girl Scout Medal of Honor; and

20 WHEREAS, Displaying fortitude that belies their years,
21 Brandon and Cassie Denson, along with the help of their neighbors,
22 were able to save their father and provide a happy outcome to this
23 critical situation; now, therefore, be it

24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas

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1 Legislature hereby commend Brandon and Cassie Denson for their
2 lifesaving actions and extend to these admirable young Texans
3 sincere best wishes for continued happiness; and, be it further

4 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
5 prepared for the Densons as an expression of high regard by the
6 Texas House of Representatives.