By: Davis of Dallas

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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Sergeant Rosalind Perry of the Dallas Police 2 Department has been selected as a recipient of the Outstanding 3 Texan Award in the area of public safety/law enforcement by the 4 Texas Legislative Black Caucus; and

5 WHEREAS, Outstanding Texans are honored for the positive 6 impact they make in their communities, and Sergeant Perry's skills 7 and professionalism have benefited both her fellow citizens and the 8 department in which she serves; and

9 WHEREAS, A 16-year veteran of the Dallas police force, 10 Sergeant Perry brought to the department extensive experience as a 11 manager in the private sector; presently a member of the 12 communication division and assigned to the Patrol Bureau East 13 Division, she previously worked in the narcotics division, 14 abatement unit, and youth and family crimes division; and

WHEREAS, Before assuming her present duties in January 2005, Sergeant Perry most recently served as legislative coordinator for the department; her responsibilities in that post included establishing communication links with the community and meeting with area groups to discuss police services and sensitive issues involving the community and the DPD; and

21 WHEREAS, Drawing on her professional experience and academic 22 training, Sergeant Perry has developed a highly acclaimed series of 23 workshops on police domestic violence, as well as an interactive 24 course on the causes of that violence; and

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1 WHEREAS, This esteemed officer is licensed as a police 2 instructor by the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Officer 3 Standards and Education; she holds a bachelor's degree from Rollins 4 College and currently attends Amberton University, where she is 5 pursuing a master's degree in counseling and professional 6 development; and

7 WHEREAS, Sergeant Rosalind Perry has had a profound effect on 8 the lives of countless residents of the Lone Star State, and it is a 9 great pleasure to honor her at this time; now, therefore, be it

10 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas 11 Legislature hereby commend Sergeant Rosalind Perry on being named a 12 recipient of the Outstanding Texan Award in the area of public 13 safety/law enforcement by the Texas Legislative Black Caucus and 14 extend to her sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it 15 further

16 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 17 prepared for Sergeant Perry as an expression of high regard by the 18 Texas House of Representatives.

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