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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Steven V. Tays of New Braunfels has been elected the
2 Texas FFA state officer for Area VII, and this singular distinction
3 offers an ideal opportunity to reflect on this talented young man's
4 many accomplishments; and

5 WHEREAS, A senior at Canyon High School, Mr. Tays has been a
6 valued member of FFA for several years, serving as Guadalupe Valley
7 District president and Canyon and Area VII vice president before
8 assuming his most recent post; and

9 WHEREAS, He has also participated in a wide range of the
10 organization's competitive activities, including creed speaking,
11 land judging, livestock judging, and radio broadcasting, and he was
12 a valued participant at the state convention in 2003 and 2004; and

13 WHEREAS, This well-rounded young Texan has been involved in
14 numerous community groups and programs, including Youth Leadership
15 New Braunfels, the First Protestant Church youth group and youth
16 band, the Canyon High School golf team, and the Katy Volunteer Fire
17 Department, and in 2004 he was selected to attend the Boys State
18 convention in Austin; and

19 WHEREAS, It is particularly fitting that Mr. Tays be honored
20 by this body, in that he enjoys close personal ties to a number of
21 its members; and

22 WHEREAS, After being baptized by Representative Joe Crabb,
23 Mr. Tays went on to work for both Representative Bill Callegari and
24 Speaker Tom Craddick, and since his move to New Braunfels he has

1 also made the acquaintance of Representative Carter Casteel; and

2 WHEREAS, Mr. Tays plans to attend Texas A&M University next
3 year, and as this exciting new chapter in his life begins, his many
4 friends and admirers join him in looking forward to a future bright
5 with promise; now, therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
7 Legislature hereby congratulate Steven V. Tays on being elected
8 Texas FFA state officer for Area VII and extend to him sincere best
9 wishes for continued success; and, be it further

10 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
11 prepared for Mr. Tays as an expression of high regard by the Texas
12 House of Representatives.