

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Reneé McGuire of Pearland is deservedly being
2 honored as Philanthropist of the Year by the Community Foundation
3 of Brazoria County; and

4 WHEREAS, The Philanthropist of the Year award was created to
5 honor citizens who have contributed greatly to their communities,
6 and Mrs. McGuire has selflessly devoted her time, assets, and
7 efforts to making life better for others; and

8 WHEREAS, In 2001, this esteemed businesswoman founded the
9 nonprofit, Forgotten Angels, which helps children with special
10 needs and their families; she serves as CEO of the organization
11 without compensation; and

12 WHEREAS, Mrs. McGuire has given generously of herself,
13 volunteering thousands of hours of her time, donating more than
14 \$3.5 million, and using her real estate development experience to
15 provide 12 residential group homes for children and adults with
16 special needs; and

17 WHEREAS, Today, Forgotten Angels provides an environment of
18 exceptional care and support through both group homes and a day
19 habilitation program, giving individuals with mental and physical
20 disabilities the means and encouragement to reach their full
21 potential; and

22 WHEREAS, By using her gifts and talents to lighten and enrich
23 the lives of others, this benevolent lady has found it truly more
24 blessed to give than receive, and she recognizes the endless love

1 she has gotten from those she helps as her greatest reward; and

2 WHEREAS, Her generosity and compassion have touched many
3 people and made her worthy of the special recognition bestowed on
4 her by the board of the Community Foundation; now, therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
6 Legislature hereby congratulate Reneé McGuire on being named
7 Philanthropist of the Year by the Community Foundation of Brazoria
8 County and commend this remarkable woman for devoting her talents
9 and resources to such a commendable undertaking; and, be it further

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

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Allen	Geren	Miller
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England	Macias	Turner
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Flores	McCall	Vo
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Frost	McReynolds	Woolley
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H.R. No. 120

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 120 was adopted by the House on
January 25, 2007, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House