

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Students at Hillcrest Elementary School
2 Are honoring the writer of *McElligot's Pool*,
3 Namely Theodor Geisel, a.k.a. Dr. Seuss
4 (He wasn't a Grinch and he wasn't a moose);
5 He was born on this day in Nineteen Oh Four
6 (That's March the second, if you're keeping score);
7 The children of Dumas today will give praise
8 To the author who often has brightened their days; and
9 WHEREAS, Dr. Seuss, the most famous of all
10 Children's book authors (some big and some small),
11 Wrote *Yertle the Turtle* and *The Cat in the Hat*
12 And *Happy Birthday to You!* (now how about that!)
13 And that wonderful book with the title so sweet,
14 *And to Think That I Saw It on Mulberry Street*;
15 He created the Sneetches; he invented green ham
16 And Thing One and Thing Two and (of course) Sam-I-am; and
17 WHEREAS, Dr. Seuss has created great joy
18 In the heart and the mind of each girl and each boy,
19 Making him or her laugh with their whole solar plexus
20 At Hillcrest Elementary in Moore County, Texas;
21 Now (not a moment too soon), therefore, be it
22 RESOLVED, That the House of the 80th Legislature of Texas
23 (who don't normally speak in a rhythm as complex as
24 this is) hereby commend Hillcrest Elementary

1 For throwing a party on this man's centenary
2 (Plus three years, don't you know); and, be it further
3 RESOLVED, That a copy of this rhythmic resolution
4 Be prepared by the staff of this great institution
5 For the children and teachers in all of the room-uhs
6 Of Hillcrest Elementary School up in Dumas
7 To express the regard (very high) of the Texas
8 (not Kansas, not Iowa) House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

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