

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Through his quick thinking and resolute action,
2 Frisco fifth-grader Sam Ehmke prevented a potential tragedy, and it
3 is indeed a pleasure to honor him at this time for his swift and
4 skillful response; and

5 WHEREAS, During lunch period at Claude Curtsinger Elementary
6 School on January 10, 2007, Mr. Ehmke noticed a fellow student
7 turning red; realizing the boy was choking, Sam quickly came to his
8 aid and performed the Heimlich maneuver, successfully dislodging
9 the food blocking the boy's airway; and

10 WHEREAS, The bravery and calm sense of purpose exhibited by
11 Mr. Ehmke not only helped save the life of his schoolmate, but are a
12 source of inspiration to Texans of all ages; now, therefore, be it

13 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
14 Legislature hereby commend Sam Ehmke for his heroic actions and for
15 providing a happy ending to this harrowing episode; and, be it
16 further

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

Paxton
Farabee

H.R. No. 396

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 396 was adopted by the House on March 8, 2007, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House