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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Alice Heard of Wharton helped save the life of a
2 drowning child on November 4, 2006, and her swift and brave actions
3 earned her the Citizen of the Year Award from the Wharton Police
4 Department; and

5 WHEREAS, Enjoying an evening at home, Ms. Heard was alerted
6 to the emergency by a fellow resident; along with a neighbor, she
7 worked quickly to retrieve the child from the water, and then Ms.
8 Heard, a nurse, performed rescue breathing until EMS personnel
9 arrived; and

10 WHEREAS, In a moment of sudden crisis, the courageous and
11 generous instincts of Alice Heard propelled her to take decisive
12 action, and her response was instrumental in saving a youth's life;
13 now, therefore, be it

14 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
15 Legislature hereby commend Alice Heard for her lifesaving actions
16 and congratulate her on her receipt of the Citizen of the Year Award
17 from the Wharton Police Department; and, be it further

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