

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Argentina M. James has been named as a recipient of  
2 the Audrey Lawson Impact Award for service in the community, and her  
3 selection for this honor is indicative of the positive effect she  
4 has had on the lives of her fellow citizens; and

5           WHEREAS, Mrs. James, who holds degrees in journalism and  
6 communications from Texas Southern University, is the director of  
7 public affairs for the Port of Houston Authority, a challenging  
8 position in which she oversees all aspects of community relations,  
9 government relations, media marketing, and media relations; she  
10 demonstrates excellence in leadership through her affiliation with  
11 numerous boards, including the Memorial Hermann Healthcare System,  
12 the Houston Imagine Group, the Houston Area Urban League, Inc., and  
13 Texas Executive Women, among others; and

14           WHEREAS, This dynamic woman has garnered many awards and  
15 accolades both for her community service efforts and for her  
16 professional achievements; over the past 20 years, she has helped  
17 raise some \$20 million for local and national nonprofit  
18 organizations, and she was recently honored by being named  
19 conference vice president for the International Association of  
20 Ports and Harbors for 2007; and

21           WHEREAS, By taking a proactive role in her community,  
22 Argentina James has rightfully earned the respect and admiration of  
23 her family, friends, and neighbors, and her receipt of this award is  
24 indeed well deserved; now, therefore, be it

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1           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas  
2 Legislature hereby congratulate Argentina M. James on her receipt  
3 of the Audrey Lawson Impact Award for service in the community and  
4 extend to her best regards for continued success in all her  
5 endeavors; and, be it further

6           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
7 prepared for Mrs. James as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
8 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 660 was adopted by the House on March 13, 2007, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House