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H.R. No. 785

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Grant Allen, an esteemed resident of Grand Saline
2 and a senior at Grand Saline High School, has achieved national
3 recognition for exemplary volunteer service with his receipt of a
4 2007 Prudential Spirit of Community Award; and

5 WHEREAS, This prestigious accolade, presented by Prudential
6 Financial in partnership with the National Association of Secondary
7 School Principals, honors young volunteers across America who have
8 demonstrated an extraordinary commitment to serving their
9 communities; and

10 WHEREAS, Mr. Allen earned this award by giving generously of
11 his time and energy in soundproofing the three band hall practice
12 rooms at his school; he initiated the project on his own, collected
13 monetary donations and supplies for the project, and recruited
14 volunteers from his church, Boy Scout troop, band, and community,
15 completing the project over the course of three weekends; and

16 WHEREAS, The success of the Lone Star State, the strength of
17 our communities, and the overall vitality of American society
18 depend, in great measure, on the civic engagement of young people
19 like Grant Allen, who use their considerable talents and skills to
20 serve others; now, therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
22 Legislature hereby congratulate Grant Allen on his receipt of a
23 Prudential Spirit of Community Award and extend to him sincere best
24 wishes for continued success in all his endeavors; and, be it

1 further

2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
3 prepared for Mr. Allen as an expression of high regard by the Texas
4 House of Representatives.