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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Jason Perez has deservedly been named Citizen of the
 Year by the Angleton Chamber of Commerce; and

3 WHEREAS, The Citizen of the Year award was created to honor 4 Angleton citizens who have greatly contributed to their community, 5 and Mr. Perez, who wears many hats in his unwavering commitment to 6 improving, developing, and enriching the lives of others, is indeed 7 such a person; and

8 WHEREAS, Today Mr. Perez is well known for his work with the 9 Angleton Area Emergency Medical Corps, where he began as a 10 volunteer in 1996; now serving as assistant administrator, he has 11 gained the confidence and respect of this entire area for his 12 dedicated work as a paramedic and instructor; and

WHEREAS, Truly caring for his community, Mr. Perez volunteers weekly as a member of the Angleton City Council; he also serves as an executive board member for the United Way and an executive board member for the Brazoria County Fair Association; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Perez is one who not only has concern for others but also shows it with work above and beyond the call of duty; during the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina, he volunteered in the EMS Operations Command Center in Houston, and he chose to stay in Angleton during Hurricane Rita to work the city and county Emergency Operations Center; and

WHEREAS, A major force in the Angleton Chamber of Commerce,
Mr. Perez has helped to organize projects aimed at making the

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1 Angleton area a better place to live and work; and

WHEREAS, Beginning his community involvement during his high school days in Angleton, this industrious young man was a proud member of the Purple Pride Marching Band and a junior member of the Angleton Volunteer Fire Department (AVFD); currently, he continues to be an advocate for the AISD band program and has spent more than 18 years with the AVFD, where he is a certified intermediate firefighter and a certified instructor and training officer; and

9 WHEREAS, Those individuals who know Mr. Perez have always 10 noted his positive can-do attitude on every project he undertakes 11 and appreciate the energy and spirit he brings to the city of 12 Angleton, and his many worthwhile endeavors have indeed made him 13 worthy of the special recognition bestowed upon him by his 14 community; now, therefore, be it

15 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas 16 Legislature hereby congratulate Jason Perez on being named Citizen 17 of the Year in Angleton and extend to him best wishes for success 18 and happiness in his future endeavors; and, be it further

19 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 20 prepared for Mr. Perez as an expression of high regard by the Texas 21 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 921 was adopted by the House on March 19, 2007, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House