By: Hill   H.R. No. 1604

R E S O L U T I O N

1   WHEREAS, The Richardson Independent School District Capitol
2   Scholars program promotes academic excellence and challenges
3   students to expand their horizons of knowledge beyond the
4   classroom; and
5   WHEREAS, Given outstanding support by the Richardson
6   business community, this worthy program allows a group of
7   exceptional young men and women the unique opportunity to observe
8   the governmental process and to meet many of the individuals who
9   participate in it; and
10   WHEREAS, Having earned this singular distinction through
11   superior achievement in a competitive essay contest, this year's
12   2007 RISD Capitol Scholars are Amy Hargis and Paul Limanni of Lake
13   Highlands High School, Andrew Townsend and Beserate Gebeta of
14   Richardson High School, Ryan Riseman and William Fanous of Pearce
15   High School, and Christina Carranza and Eric Shu of Berkner High
16   School; these students are accompanied on their trip to Austin by
17   teachers Steven Howell, Mark McKee, Regina Moss, and Tracey Bishkin
18   and by RISD social studies director Melinda Smith; and
19   WHEREAS, This exemplary group is being welcomed to the
20   Capitol by State Representative Fred Hill, who has sponsored the
21   RISD Capitol Scholars program for 10 legislative sessions; and
22   WHEREAS, The RISD Capitol Scholars program fosters an
23   interest in and understanding of the governmental process for the
24   leaders of tomorrow, and it is indeed appropriate that this

1 valuable endeavor be given special legislative recognition; now,

2 therefore, be it

3   RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas

4 Legislature hereby welcome the participants in the 2007 Richardson

5 ISD Capitol Scholars program and congratulate them on their

6 outstanding accomplishments; and, be it further

7   RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

8 prepared for the 2007 RISD Capitol Scholars as an expression of high

9 regard by the Texas House of Representatives.