

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Tayler Haggerty of the Magnet Center for Public
2 Service: School of Government, Law and Law Enforcement at Yvonne A.
3 Ewell Townview Center has been named a winner of the 2007
4 Outstanding Texan Award in the category of students by the Texas
5 Legislative Black Caucus; and

6 WHEREAS, Outstanding Texans are honored for the positive
7 impact they make in their communities, and the leadership and
8 dedication of Ms. Haggerty have benefited her school, her church,
9 and the Dallas area; and

10 WHEREAS, Born in 1990 in Dallas, to Betty Wafer and Michael
11 Haggerty, Ms. Haggerty has participated in such extracurricular
12 activities as Ambassadors Club, peer mediation, and the Debate,
13 Poetry, and Prose Team; she is also an active member of the Mock
14 Trial Team, for which she received the Frank C. Moore Award for
15 Outstanding Advocate and was named Distinguished Delegate by the
16 YMCA of Metropolitan Dallas Youth and Government program; and

17 WHEREAS, Ms. Haggerty has explored her interest in public
18 policy and law through internships with the district office of
19 State Representative Yvonne Davis and the Dallas County Public
20 Defender office, where she works in the mental health division;
21 moreover, she shares her time and talents with the Camp Fire USA
22 Lone Star Council; and

23 WHEREAS, In addition to her school and community
24 accomplishments, Ms. Haggerty is a lifelong member of Antioch

1 Fellowship Missionary Baptist Church, where she volunteers in the
2 nursery; after graduating from high school in 2008, she plans to
3 attend college and law school; and

4 WHEREAS, Tayler Haggerty stands as an inspiring example of
5 how one person can better a community by volunteering time to help
6 others, and the Outstanding Texan commendation is a fitting
7 recognition of her exemplary achievements; now, therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
9 Legislature hereby congratulate Tayler Haggerty on her receipt of a
10 2007 Outstanding Texan Award from the Texas Legislative Black
11 Caucus and extend to her sincere best wishes for the future; and, be
12 it further

13 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
14 prepared for Ms. Haggerty as an expression of high regard by the
15 Texas House of Representatives.

Davis of Dallas

H.R. No. 1650

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1650 was adopted by the House on April 24, 2007, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House