

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The city of Zapata has been named "micro" City of the
2 Future by *fDi*, a publication that specializes in globalization
3 issues and foreign direct investment; and

4 WHEREAS, Zapata, an unincorporated city located in Zapata
5 County, was judged in the magazine's "micro" category and was
6 recognized for several development projects that are currently
7 under way, including major improvements to the highways and the
8 addition of a new border crossing into neighboring Mexico; and

9 WHEREAS, The publication's judges cited the city's clear
10 development strategy, its dedication to attracting out-of-state
11 investors, and the decision by city leaders to invest in logistics,
12 air transport, alternative energy, ecotourism, and security; and

13 WHEREAS, This significant recognition highlights the
14 visionary leadership and commitment to smart growth that
15 characterize the city of Zapata and Zapata County, and the citizens
16 of Zapata merit special commendation for their innovative endeavors
17 to enhance economic development; now, therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
19 Legislature hereby congratulate the residents of Zapata and Zapata
20 County on the city's selection as the *fDi* "micro" City of the Future
21 and extend best wishes to the many individuals who contributed to
22 this success; and, be it further

23 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
24 prepared for the city of Zapata as an expression of high regard by
25 the Texas House of Representatives.

Guillen

H.R. No. 2093

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2093 was adopted by the House on May 26, 2007, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House