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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Kassandra Roxanne Rocha has been named salutatorian of the Class of 2007 at La Villa High School in Hidalgo County, and for achieving this significant honor she indeed merits special

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WHEREAS, Earning the title of salutatorian requires not only intellect and aptitude, but four years of dedication to the highest academic standards; the student who garners this coveted distinction must demonstrate a thorough understanding of a wide range of subjects, from math and science to language arts and social studies, yet the rewards of the countless hours of study and preparation are myriad; and

WHEREAS, In addition to the pride inherent in being recognized as the second-highest achieving student in her class, the salutatorian also gains the opportunity to address her fellow seniors at commencement and to reflect on their shared history as well as their hopes and ambitions for the future; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Rocha received the Principal's Award as a freshman and served as a member of the student government during her freshman and sophomore years; she subsequently succeeded in maintaining her record of academic excellence even as she raised her young son; and

WHEREAS, Kassandra Rocha has earned the respect and admiration of her teachers and classmates at La Villa High School and made her parents very proud; the exceptional scholastic

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- 1 ability, hard work, and commitment to excellence demonstrated by
- 2 this remarkable young Texan have surely opened the way to limitless
- 3 opportunities; now, therefore, be it
- 4 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
- 5 Legislature hereby congratulate Kassandra Roxanne Rocha on being
- 6 named the 2007 salutatorian at La Villa High School and extend to
- 7 her sincere best wishes for continued success in all her endeavors;
- 8 and, be it further
- 9 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 10 prepared for Ms. Rocha as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 11 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2097 was adopted by the House on May 25, 2007, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House