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## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Tom Dickerson of San Antonio has been a tremendous asset to the Texas Nursery and Landscape Association, which has agained immeasurably from his leadership and commitment; and

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WHEREAS, A trade association that represents all segments of the green industry in Texas, TNLA serves growers, landscape contractors, retail nurseries, and allied green industry businesses; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Dickerson has held a number of leadership positions with the group; currently serving as the immediate past chairman, he formerly served on TNLA regional boards, on the advisory board to the state agriculture commissioner, and as chairman of TALC; he played an integral role on the committee merging TAN and TALC in 1999; and

WHEREAS, A graduate of Texas Tech University with a B.S. in agriculture, Mr. Dickerson is married to Cheryl Dickerson, who plays a vital role in his various and notable successes; and

WHEREAS, During his outstanding tenure with TNLA, Tom Dickerson has devoted himself to the welfare of the organization and its members, steering TNLA on a new path in diversifying the marketplace, setting a high standard of excellence for the benefit of all; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
Legislature hereby commend Tom Dickerson for his service to the
Texas Nursery and Landscape Association and extend to him sincere

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- 1 best wishes for the future; and, be it further
- 2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 3 prepared for Mr. Dickerson as an expression of high regard by the
- 4 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2677 was adopted by the House on May 25, 2007, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House