By: Geren H.R. No. 2677

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Tom Dickerson of San Antonio has been a tremendous 1 2 asset to the Texas Nursery and Landscape Association, which has 3 gained immeasurably from his leadership and commitment; and WHEREAS, A trade association that represents all segments of 4 5 the green industry in Texas, TNLA serves growers, 6 contractors, retail nurseries, and allied green industry 7 businesses; and WHEREAS, Mr. Dickerson has held a number of leadership 8 9 positions with the group; currently serving as the Immediate Past Chairman; formerly serving TNLA Regional Boards, advisory board to 10 11 the state Agriculture Commissioner, and Chairman of TALC; he played

the state Agriculture Commissioner, and 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 BS in

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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

21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas 22 Legislature hereby commend Tom Dickerson for his service to the 23 Texas Nursery and Landscape Association and extend to him sincere 24 best wishes for the future; and, be it further

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- 1 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 2 prepared for Mr. Dickerson as an expression of high regard by the
- 3 Texas House of Representatives.