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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Raul Ramos has been named the 2006-2007 Hillcrest
2 Elementary Teacher of the Year in recognition of his outstanding
3 service to the Alice Independent School District; and

WHEREAS, Before becoming a teacher, Mr. Ramos worked as a manual laborer; he saw a career as an educator as a way to improve his own socioeconomic status and to help young people whose circumstances were similar to those he had known; this outstanding third-grade teacher earned a bachelor's and master's degree at Texas A&M University--Kingsville and is currently working on his doctorate; and

WHEREAS, Raul Ramos has demonstrated an unwavering commitment to academic achievement and enrichment, and he serves as an inspiration both to his students and to his fellow teachers; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas Legislature hereby congratulate Raul Ramos on his selection as the 2006-2007 Hillcrest Elementary Teacher of the Year and commend him for his dedication to educating young Texans; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be prepared for Mr. Ramos as an expression of high regard by the Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2920 was adopted by the House on May 28, 2007, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House