

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 953

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize the Medina Valley High School students who are participating in the University Interscholastic League State Academic Tournament on May 3 through May 5 on the campus of The University of Texas at Austin; and

WHEREAS, The University Interscholastic League offers the most comprehensive academic competitive program in the nation; its academic contests are designed to motivate students to acquire higher levels of knowledge, challenge them to confront issues of importance, and provide them with the opportunity to demonstrate mastery of specific skills; and

WHEREAS, The State Academic Tournament contestants from Medina Valley High School are Hector Torres, who is competing in current events; Josh Fritz, who is competing in computer applications; and Tim Leis, Karah Flesch, Paiten Tinar, and Sarah Aelvoet, who are all competing in accounting; Sarah will also compete in number sense and math; and

WHEREAS, Their academic coaches are Sharon Rodriguez for current events, Delores Castleberry for computer applications and accounting, and Greg Ward for number sense and math; and

WHEREAS, The Medina Valley students qualified for the state tournament by participating in the Class 3A Region IV academic tournament in Kingsville; they are exceptional students who bring great honor to their school; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 80th Legislature, hereby congratulate the Medina Valley High School students on their accomplishments in the regional academic tournament and extend to them best wishes for success in the University Interscholastic League State Academic Tournament; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for these students as an expression of high regard from the Texas Senate.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 4, 2007.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate