

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, The Texas Legislature is pleased to recognize April
2 7, 2009, as Texas Medal of Arts Awards Day at the State Capitol and
3 to commend this year's distinguished award recipients; and

4 WHEREAS, Presented by the Texas Cultural Trust, the Texas
5 Medal of Arts Awards pay tribute to Texans who have made important
6 contributions to a variety of artistic disciplines in the state,
7 either through personal achievement or through generous support;
8 and

9 WHEREAS, Those selected for the 2009 biennial awards are:
10 Laura W. Bush, Standing Ovation; Robert Rauschenberg, Lifetime
11 Achievement; Lake/Flato Architects, Architecture; James Dick, Arts
12 Education; Anheuser-Busch Companies, Corporate Arts Patron; Robert
13 Rodriguez, Film; Edith O'Donnell, Individual Arts Patron; Austin
14 City Limits, Multimedia; Clint Black, Music; T. R. Fehrenbach,
15 Literary Arts; Betty Buckley, Theatre Arts; and Keith Carter,
16 Visual Arts; and

17 WHEREAS, The arts greatly enhance the quality of life in
18 Texas, and the creative individuals and committed patrons being
19 honored by the Texas Cultural Trust have contributed immeasurably
20 to the rich cultural tapestry of the Lone Star State; now,
21 therefore, be it

22 RESOLVED, That the 81st Legislature of the State of Texas
23 hereby congratulate the recipients of the 2009 Texas Medal of Arts
24 Awards and express deep appreciation for their dedication to the

1 advancement of the arts in Texas; and, be it further

2 RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be prepared for each
3 award winner as an expression of high regard by the Texas House of
4 Representatives and Senate.

Straus
Homer

Straus	Gattis	Menendez
Allen	Geren	Merritt
Alonzo	Giddings	Miklos
Alvarado	Gonzales	Miller of Comal
Anchia	Gonzalez Toureilles	Miller of Erath
Anderson	Guillen	Moody
Aycock	Gutierrez	Morrison
Berman	Hamilton	Naishtat
Bohac	Hancock	Oliveira
Bolton	Hardcastle	Olivo
Bonnen	Harless	Orr
Branch	Harper-Brown	Ortiz, Jr.
Brown of Kaufman	Hartnett	Otto
Brown of Brazos	Heflin	Parker
Burnam	Hernandez	Patrick
Button	Herrero	Paxton
Callegari	Hilderbran	Peña
Castro	Hochberg	Phillips
Chavez	Hodge	Pickett
Chisum	Homer	Pierson
Christian	Hopson	Pitts
Cohen	Howard of Fort Bend	Quintanilla
Coleman	Howard of Travis	Raymond
Cook	Hughes	Riddle
Corte	Hunter	Rios Ybarra
Crabb	Isett	Ritter
Craddick	Jackson	Rodriguez
Creighton	Jones	Rose
Crownover	Keffer	Sheffield
Darby	Kent	Shelton
Davis of Harris	King of Parker	Smith of Tarrant
Davis of Dallas	King of Taylor	Smith of Harris
Deshotel	King of Zavala	Smithee
Driver	Kleinschmidt	Solomons
Dukes	Kolkhorst	Strama
Dunnam	Kuempel	Swinford
Dutton	Laubenberg	Taylor
Edwards	Legler	Thibaut
Eiland	Leibowitz	Thompson
Eissler	Lewis	Truitt
Elkins	Lucio III	Turner of Tarrant
England	Madden	Turner of Harris
Farabee	Maldonado	Vaught
Farias	Mallory Caraway	Veasey
Farrar	Marquez	Villarreal
Fletcher	Martinez	Vo
Flores	Martinez Fischer	Walle
Flynn	McCall	Weber
Frost	McClendon	Woolley
Gallego	McReynolds	Zerwas

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.C.R. No. 123 was adopted by the House on April 7, 2009, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.C.R. No. 123 was adopted by the Senate on April 7, 2009, by a viva-voce vote.

Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: _____

Date

Governor