R E S O L U T I O N

1   WHEREAS, Members of the Tax Assessor-Collectors Association
2 of Texas are visiting the State Capitol on February 10, 2009, and
3 this occasion provides a fitting opportunity to pay tribute to this
4 noteworthy organization; and

5   WHEREAS, TACA was established in 1934, with the mission to
6 secure the benefits of an organized effort, exchange ideas and
7 discuss mutual problems, and maintain the efficiency of the county
8 tax offices; the group also promotes professional standards among
9 its members and encourages them to become aware of legislative
10 issues and to participate in the process; and

11   WHEREAS, The organization consists of elected tax assessors
12 and sheriffs who perform their duties for the state's 254 counties,
13 as well as a majority of the cities and school districts; these
14 public servants collect billions of dollars in tax revenue for the
15 entities they represent, and as agents for the Texas Department of
16 Transportation, they are responsible for distributing motor
17 vehicle licenses and titles; in addition, many of the tax assessors
18 act as the voter registrar for their respective counties; and

19   WHEREAS, The Tax Assessor-Collectors Association of Texas is
20 a vital group of individuals who are committed to serving their
21 fellow citizens, and it is indeed a pleasure to recognize the
22 organization for its many contributions to the Lone Star State;
23 now, therefore, be it

24   RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas

1 Legislature hereby honor the Tax Assessor-Collectors Association

2 of Texas for its valuable service to the state and welcome the

3 visiting delegation to the Capitol; and, be it further

4   RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

5 prepared for TACA as an expression of high regard by the Texas House

6 of Representatives.

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H.R. No. 339

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 339 was adopted by the House on February 10, 2009, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House