By: Taylor H.R. No. 412

RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, For a quarter-century, the Lighthouse Charity Team 2 of Friendswood has provided hot meals for people in need and helped to raise money for area nonprofit groups; and 3 WHEREAS, The Lighthouse Charity Team was founded in 1984, 4 5 when Dick Daugird offered the MDA telethon use of his local landmark lighthouse; he invited friends and family to assist in the event, 6 7 and these volunteers provided meals for telethon participants; and 8 WHEREAS, Through the years, the operation has helped to raise thousands of dollars for worthwhile causes; little leagues, 9 and storm victims have benefited from the group's 10 generosity; after Hurricane Ike, the Lighthouse Charity Team served 11 12 nearly 50,000 meals to city employees and area residents; and 13 WHEREAS, The group has also provided equipment and volunteer 14 labor to prepare meals for the Boy Scouts of America, American Heart Association, March of Dimes, United Way, and YMCA; and 15 16 WHEREAS, Since its founding, the Lighthouse Charity Team has made a positive difference in the lives of many Gulf Coast 17 residents, and the organization and its caring staff are indeed 18

achievements; now, therefore, be it

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

Legislature hereby honor the Lighthouse Charity Team of Friendswood

on 25 years of service and extend to all those involved sincere best

deserving of special recognition for their notable efforts and

24 wishes for continued success with their important work; and, be it

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