

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, School board members play an integral role in the
2 education of our children, and the trustees of the Richardson
3 Independent School District are indeed worthy of special
4 recognition for their dedicated service; and

5 WHEREAS, Richardson ISD is located in northern Dallas County
6 and serves an area that includes most of the city of Richardson, as
7 well as portions of Dallas and Garland; the district's board
8 members include president Kim Quirk, vice president Lanet Greenhaw,
9 secretary Karen Ellis, treasurer Kim Caston, and trustees David
10 Tyson and Luke Davis; and

11 WHEREAS, Working closely with district superintendant David
12 Simmons, the Richardson ISD board oversees the education of
13 approximately 35,000 students who attend freshman and alternative
14 learning centers and more than 50 traditional elementary, middle,
15 and high schools; guided by the belief that all students must be
16 challenged, the trustees set high standards and promote a dynamic
17 curriculum, and they seek to ensure that each of their pupils
18 achieves academic success; and

19 WHEREAS, These devoted civic leaders have further
20 distinguished themselves by promoting community involvement,
21 celebrating diversity, and retaining a high-performing staff; by
22 coordinating their efforts with parents, teachers, and other
23 concerned citizens, the board is helping to realize the vision of
24 Richardson ISD to educate each student in an academically

1 excellent, individually responsive, innovative, and inclusive
2 learning community; and

3 WHEREAS, Public education is an endeavor in which all Texans
4 have a stake, and the trustees of the Richardson ISD board have
5 demonstrated their commitment to building a bright and prosperous
6 future for area schoolchildren; now, therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
8 Legislature hereby honor the Richardson Independent School
9 District board of trustees and extend to its members sincere
10 appreciation for their outstanding contributions to their
11 community; and, be it further

12 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
13 prepared for the Richardson ISD board as an expression of high
14 regard by the Texas House of Representatives.

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H.R. No. 574

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 574 was adopted by the House on March 5, 2009, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House