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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Chris Banks of the Mineola Volunteer Fire Department
- 2 has deservedly been honored for his commitment and courage as the
- 3 recipient of the East Texas Heroes Award; and
- 4 WHEREAS, The award, which pays tribute to first responders
- 5 and is sponsored by Tyler radio station 104.1, was presented to
- 6 Mr. Banks at a December 2008 banquet at Tyler Junior College; and
- 7 WHEREAS, Chris Banks has earned the gratitude and admiration
- 8 of his fellow citizens for his selfless dedication to the safety and
- 9 well-being of his community, and it is indeed a pleasure to join in
- 10 honoring this public-spirited Texan; now, therefore, be it
- 11 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
- 12 Legislature hereby congratulate Chris Banks on his receipt of the
- 13 East Texas Heroes Award and extend to him sincere best wishes for
- 14 continued success and happiness; and, be it further
- 15 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 16 prepared for Mr. Banks as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 17 House of Representatives.