By: Smith of Harris

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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Members of the Deer Park Chamber of Commerce are 2 working to promote a business climate that encourages economic 3 growth and development in this Harris County community; and

WHEREAS, Under the able direction of president Sharon McLean, 4 5 the Deer Park Chamber of Commerce renders valuable services such as distributing newcomer packages to raise awareness of local 6 7 businesses, serving as an information resource on governmental issues that affect local commerce, and performing ribbon cuttings 8 9 and ground-breaking ceremonies; in addition, it holds membership 10 luncheons and publishes a monthly newsletter that offers information on area events and provides members with a forum to 11 promote their products and services; and 12

WHEREAS, The chamber also undertakes a range of vital civic 13 14 initiatives to benefit Deer Park citizens; in the area of education, the organization encourages young people to excel by 15 16 offering \$1,000 scholarships to two deserving seniors in the Deer 17 Park Independent School District, and it recognizes educators with its Salute to Education/New Teacher Luncheon; moreover, the 18 organization's desire to give back to the community is reflected in 19 myriad other ways as well, from providing awards for beautification 20 projects to supporting local cultural arts institutions; and 21

22 WHEREAS, The guidance and united vision of the Deer Park 23 Chamber of Commerce have helped make this proud Texas community an 24 even better place to live and work, and it is indeed a pleasure to

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1 recognize this esteemed organization; now, therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas 3 Legislature hereby honor the Deer Park Chamber of Commerce for its 4 outstanding work in behalf of the community it serves and extend to 5 its members sincere best wishes for continued success in their 6 endeavors; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
prepared for the chamber as an expression of high regard by the
Texas House of Representatives.