

By: Fletcher

H.R. No. 797

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The Tomball High School Junior Reserve Officers'  
2 Training Corps helps prepare young Texans for the responsibilities  
3 of adulthood while teaching them the fundamental principles that  
4 underlie good citizenship; and

5           WHEREAS, Commissioned in 1994, Tomball Junior ROTC began  
6 under the leadership of Master Chief Cab Boston, Jr., and Commander  
7 Gaston Buford, who continue to provide able guidance to the unit; in  
8 addition, Chief Erick Geisler has been helping to direct the  
9 school's cadets since 2001; and

10           WHEREAS, Tomball Junior ROTC has been considered an Honor  
11 Unit for the past two years, and its drill team recently finished  
12 10th in state competition; moreover, the 165 cadets at Tomball  
13 accumulated a total of 2,200 community service hours in 2008; and

14           WHEREAS, By participating in Tomball Junior ROTC, members  
15 gain a better understanding of ethical values and develop a range of  
16 important qualities, including leadership ability, physical  
17 fitness, and cooperative teamwork skills; in so doing, they are  
18 laying the foundation for a lifelong commitment to excellence that  
19 will be of lasting benefit to their communities; now, therefore, be  
20 it

21           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas  
22 Legislature hereby recognize the Tomball High School Junior Reserve  
23 Officers' Training Corps and extend to its officers and cadets  
24 sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

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