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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Midland Memorial Hospital has won two awards from
- 2 the American Heart Association in 2009 as a participant in its Get
- 3 with the Guidelines program; and
- WHEREAS, Established in 2000, the AHA's Get with the
- 5 Guidelines initiative is a quality improvement program that seeks
- 6 to ensure that hospital treatment of coronary artery disease, heart
- 7 failure, and stroke is aligned with the most current scientific
- 8 guidelines and evidence-based procedures and therapies; Midland
- 9 Memorial became the first area hospital to join the GWTG--Coronary
- 10 Artery Disease program in 2004; and
- 11 WHEREAS, For the second consecutive year, the hospital
- 12 received a gold award from the AHA in recognition of its long-term
- 13 efforts to combat coronary artery disease; the hospital also
- 14 received a silver award acknowledging more than 12 consecutive
- 15 months of adherence to performance measures for preventing heart
- 16 failure; and
- WHEREAS, For over 50 years, Midland Memorial has provided
- 18 quality patient care, and the AHA awards exemplify this fine
- 19 institution's outstanding commitment to excellence; now,
- 20 therefore, be it
- 21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
- 22 Legislature hereby congratulate the staff of Midland Memorial
- 23 Hospital on winning two awards from the American Heart
- 24 Association's Get with the Guidelines program and extend to these

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- 1 dedicated professionals best wishes for continued success; and, be
- 2 it further
- 3 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 4 prepared for Midland Memorial Hospital as an expression of high
- 5 regard by the Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 894 was adopted by the House on March 26, 2009, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House