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H.R. No. 894

R E S O L U T I O N

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

4           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

17           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

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.