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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, A quality education is the foundation of future success, and Liberty Junior High School in Dallas provides students of the Richardson Independent School District with a well-rounded academic curriculum and opportunities to develop their individual skills and talents; and
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ethnic and cultural diversity of their community; many of their
parents make valuable contributions to the school by volunteering
in the office, library, clinic, at extracurricular functions, and
as members of the Parent Teacher Association; and

12 WHEREAS, Students at Liberty receive rigorous instruction in reading, math, writing, science, social studies, and other academic 13 14 disciplines; they also may enhance their learning experience by taking part in such activities as Spanish Club, the Invention 15 Convention, and Odyssey of the Mind; the school has distinguished 16 itself in athletics, with the eighth grade boys' basketball team 17 recently winning the district tournament and the seventh grade 18 girls' basketball team entering the tournament undefeated; and 19

WHEREAS, In December 2008, a group of Liberty pupils participated in a robot-building workshop at the Erik Jonsson School of Engineering and Computer Science at The University of Texas at Dallas; members of the Care Club give back to their community by tutoring younger, immigrant children from a

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- 1 neighboring elementary school, working with them on reading skills
- 2 and serving as role models; and
- 3 WHEREAS, Principal Stephen Quisenberry leads an
- 4 exceptionally dedicated faculty and staff; their deep commitment to
- 5 the academic progress and intellectual development of young Texans
- 6 encourages the students of Liberty Junior High to work diligently
- 7 toward becoming productive, successful citizens of the Lone Star
- 8 State, and all those associated with the school may indeed take
- 9 pride in this fine institution; now, therefore, be it
- 10 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
- 11 Legislature hereby recognize Liberty Junior High School for its
- 12 contributions to the community and extend to its students,
- 13 teachers, and staff sincere best wishes for continued success; and,
- 14 be it further
- 15 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 16 prepared for the school as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 17 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1014 was adopted by the House on April 2, 2009, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House