

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The counseling team at Ernesto Serna School in El
2 Paso has earned the CREST award from the Texas School Counselor
3 Association; and

4 WHEREAS, CREST, which stands for Counselors Reinforcing
5 Excellence for Students in Texas, is an awards program designed to
6 recognize outstanding school counseling programs throughout the
7 Lone Star State; and

8 WHEREAS, Truly deserving recipients of this accolade, the
9 Ernesto Serna School team includes Juanita Gandara and Tammi
10 Mackeben; and

11 WHEREAS, These dedicated individuals have worked to foster
12 the social and emotional growth of students to help them succeed
13 academically and personally; by focusing on the total child, they
14 have helped students develop interpersonal relationship,
15 problem-solving, and conflict resolution skills that will be
16 important throughout each individual's life; and

17 WHEREAS, Children are our most valuable resource, and those
18 who labor in behalf of the youth of Texas are making a firm
19 investment in the future of the Lone Star State; now, therefore, be
20 it

21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
22 Legislature hereby congratulate the counseling team of Ernesto
23 Serna School on earning the CREST award and extend to them sincere
24 best wishes for continued success with their important work; and,

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1 be it further

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1500 was adopted by the House on April 30, 2009, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House