

By: Chavez

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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, George Yapor is being recognized with a 2009 Lucy G.  
2 Acosta Humanitarian Award, presented by LULAC Project Amistad; and

3 WHEREAS, An El Paso-based nonprofit organization, Project  
4 Amistad hosts the annual Lucy G. Acosta Humanitarian Awards banquet  
5 to pay tribute to those individuals and groups that have  
6 demonstrated exemplary efforts in serving the community; proceeds  
7 from the event are directed toward the agency's client health and  
8 welfare fund, which provides vital assistance to senior citizens  
9 and people with disabilities; and

10 WHEREAS, The president of Popular Mattress Factory Direct,  
11 Mr. Yapor has been active in countless organizations, including the  
12 Child Crisis Center of El Paso, Susan G. Komen for the Cure, Hospice  
13 El Paso, the El Paso Chamber of Commerce, and the El Paso County  
14 Park Advisory Board, and he has supported services for individuals  
15 in need, victims of catastrophes, and the elderly; in addition, his  
16 company was named "Business of the Year" by the State of Texas Child  
17 Welfare Board for donating mattresses to numerous children in the  
18 state; and

19 WHEREAS, Through his generosity and dedication, George Yapor  
20 has greatly benefited many of his fellow residents, and he has set  
21 an example of civic leadership and volunteerism to which all may  
22 aspire; now, therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas  
24 Legislature hereby honor George Yapor on his receipt of a 2009 Lucy

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1 G. Acosta Humanitarian Award and extend to him sincere best wishes  
2 for continued success and happiness; and, be it further

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