

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Members of Leadership Mission are visiting the State  
2 Capitol on April 27, 2009, to gain further insight into the workings  
3 of state government; and

4           WHEREAS, This exceptional program provides opportunities for  
5 participants to increase their knowledge of vital public issues and  
6 to visit with the leaders who are making decisions that affect their  
7 community; and

8           WHEREAS, Meeting regularly over the course of a nine-month  
9 period, participants further develop their skills and enhance their  
10 knowledge of vital public issues as they study topics ranging from  
11 the history of Mission, to city and county government, the police  
12 and fire departments, health care, education, the media, and  
13 federal agencies, in addition to taking a maquila tour; and

14           WHEREAS, Classes inspire a spirit of activism and provide a  
15 diverse membership with personal leadership training, networking  
16 opportunities, and instruction from influential figures from both  
17 the public and private sectors; each annual Leadership group also  
18 completes a project of benefit to the community; in recent years,  
19 these projects have included donations to the Mission Historical  
20 Museum, the Mission Speer Memorial Library, and the Mission Boys  
21 and Girls Club; and

22           WHEREAS, Leadership Mission awards scholarships each session  
23 to members who are in high school or college and who successfully  
24 complete the LM program; to raise funds for these scholarships,

1 class projects, and the annual legislative trip, members  
2 participate in such worthwhile events as the Texas Citrus Fiesta,  
3 the City Tree Lighting Ceremony, and a benefit raffle; they also  
4 sponsor the popular Leadership Mission Golf Classic; and

5 WHEREAS, Through fostering a more informed and involved  
6 citizenry and developing new leaders, Leadership Mission is helping  
7 to create a brighter and more promising future for the Lone Star  
8 State; now, therefore, be it

9 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas  
10 Legislature hereby welcome members of Leadership Mission to the  
11 State Capitol and extend to all participants sincere best wishes  
12 for continued success; and, be it further

13 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
14 prepared for the group as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
15 House of Representatives.

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Straus	Gattis	Menendez
Allen	Geren	Merritt
Alonzo	Giddings	Miklos
Alvarado	Gonzales	Miller of Comal
Anchia	Gonzalez Toureilles	Miller of Erath
Anderson	Guillen	Moody
Aycock	Gutierrez	Morrison
Berman	Hamilton	Naishtat
Bohac	Hancock	Oliveira
Bolton	Hardcastle	Olivo
Bonnen	Harless	Orr
Branch	Harper-Brown	Ortiz, Jr.
Brown of Kaufman	Hartnett	Otto
Brown of Brazos	Heflin	Parker
Burnam	Hernandez	Patrick
Button	Herrero	Paxton
Callegari	Hilderbran	Peña
Castro	Hochberg	Phillips
Chavez	Hodge	Pickett
Chisum	Homer	Pierson
Christian	Hopson	Pitts
Cohen	Howard of Fort Bend	Quintanilla
Coleman	Howard of Travis	Raymond
Cook	Hughes	Riddle
Corte	Hunter	Rios Ybarra
Crabb	Isett	Ritter
Craddick	Jackson	Rodriguez
Creighton	Jones	Rose
Crownover	Keffer	Sheffield
Darby	Kent	Shelton
Davis of Harris	King of Parker	Smith of Tarrant
Davis of Dallas	King of Taylor	Smith of Harris
Deshotel	King of Zavala	Smithee
Driver	Kleinschmidt	Solomons
Dukes	Kolkhorst	Strama
Dunnam	Kuempel	Swinford
Dutton	Laubenberg	Taylor
Edwards	Legler	Thibaut
Eiland	Leibowitz	Thompson
Eissler	Lewis	Truitt
Elkins	Lucio III	Turner of Tarrant
England	Madden	Turner of Harris
Farabee	Maldonado	Vaught
Farias	Mallory Caraway	Veasey
Farrar	Marquez	Villarreal
Fletcher	Martinez	Vo
Flores	Martinez Fischer	Walle
Flynn	McCall	Weber
Frost	McClendon	Woolley
Gallego	McReynolds	Zerwas

H.R. No. 1594

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1594 was adopted by the House on April 27, 2009, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House