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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, In recognition of his distinguished service in 2 behalf of the people of Mesquite, Officer Doug Boyd of the Mesquite 3 Police Department has been named 2008 Officer of the Year; and

WHEREAS, Officer Boyd, who has served with the Mesquite Police Department since 1990, is certified as an advanced peace officer by the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Officer Standards and Education; currently a patrol officer with Operations, he also trains new recruits in the field, giving them the benefit of his knowledge and experience; and

10 WHEREAS, This outstanding law enforcement professional's 11 numerous departmental accolades include the Five-Year Safe Driving 12 Award, the Firearms Proficiency Award, the Life-Saving Award, and 13 the Meritorious Conduct Award; he has received many commendations 14 from his supervisors and the community; and

15 WHEREAS, Officer Boyd has also been recognized as Citizen 16 Police Academy Officer of the Month and Employee of the Quarter, and 17 as City of Mesquite Service Champion and as Citizen of the Week by 18 KRLD News Radio; and

WHEREAS, Exemplifying the highest ideals of Texas law enforcement, Doug Boyd has earned the respect and admiration of the citizens of Mesquite and his fellow officers, and he may indeed reflect with pride on the role he plays in making his community safer; now, therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas

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Legislature hereby congratulate Mesquite Police Department Officer
Doug Boyd on being named 2008 Officer of the Year and extend to him
sincere best wishes for continued success and happiness; and, be it
further

5 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 6 prepared for Officer Boyd as an expression of high regard by the 7 Texas House of Representatives.