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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Texas Environmental Excellence Awards are being
2 presented on May 13, 2009, in honor of citizens, communities,
3 businesses, and organizations that have distinguished themselves
4 through their bold efforts to preserve and protect the environment
5 of Texas; and

6 WHEREAS, Nominated by a blue ribbon committee and selected by
7 the Office of the Governor and the commissioners of the Texas
8 Commission on Environmental Quality, TEEA recipients have
9 voluntarily endeavored to protect our state's natural resources by
10 preventing pollution, minimizing waste, conserving water, reducing
11 energy consumption, and protecting wildlife; and

12 WHEREAS, The 2009 award winners include Energy Transfer
13 Technologies, Mars Snackfood US LLC, Kimberly-Clark
14 Corporation--Paris Plant, the Texas Department of Transportation,
15 the Boerne Independent School District, the Texas AgriLife
16 Extension Service, Build San Antonio Green, the Institute of
17 Environmental and Human Health, Science Rocks U-Wetlands Youth
18 Brigade, and Cliff Etheredge of Roscoe; and

19 WHEREAS, These environmental pacesetters are also sharing
20 their knowledge, technology, and expertise to educate Texans on how
21 to protect their own communities, further contributing to the
22 preservation of our state's natural resources for future
23 generations; now, therefore, be it

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

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1 Legislature hereby recognize May 13, 2009, as Texas Environmental
2 Excellence Awards Day and commend the award recipients for their
3 exemplary efforts in behalf of the Lone Star State; and, be it
4 further

5 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
6 prepared for the 2009 honorees as an expression of high regard by
7 the Texas House of Representatives.