By: Kent H.R. No. 1793

RESOLUTION

- $\ensuremath{\mathtt{I}}$ WHEREAS, Kim Caston has served as a trustee of the Richardson
- 2 Independent School District since 2007, demonstrating admirable
- 3 dedication to her community and its children; and
- WHEREAS, The treasurer of the board, Ms. Caston had already
- 5 served the district in numerous capacities before her election; she
- 6 fulfilled five terms as president of the Parent Teacher Association
- 7 and served on the RISD Council of PTAs and the RISD Budget Review
- 8 Team; in addition, she chaired the 2006 Vote Yes RISD community bond
- 9 campaign; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Ms. Caston has also worked with the Texas PTA on
- 11 legislative initiatives, and the State Board of Education named her
- 12 a Texas Hero for Children; she completed the Leadership Richardson
- 13 program of the Richardson Chamber of Commerce and is a member of
- 14 Northwood Woman's Club and a youth Sunday school teacher at First
- 15 United Methodist Church in Richardson; and
- 16 WHEREAS, A graduate of Richardson High School, Ms. Caston
- 17 earned her bachelor's degree in business administration from the
- 18 University of Arkansas and her master's degree in marketing from
- 19 Louisiana State University; she was a founding partner of
- 20 Communications & Management Consulting and worked for 17 years in
- 21 the beverage industry, including a decade on the executive
- 22 management team of the Coca-Cola Company; and
- 23 WHEREAS, Providing young people with a quality education is
- 24 essential to creating a prosperous future for our state and nation,

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- 1 and through her achievements as a member of the Richardson ISD Board
- 2 of Trustees, Kim Caston has earned the profound appreciation of her
- 3 fellow Texans; now, therefore, be it
- 4 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
- 5 Legislature hereby commend Kim Caston for her exemplary service to
- 6 the Richardson Independent School District Board of Trustees and
- 7 extend to her sincere best wishes for continued success in her
- 8 worthwhile endeavors; and, be it further
- 9 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 10 prepared for Ms. Caston as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 11 House of Representatives.