

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Since 2003, Chuck Cazalas has ably served the
2 residents of Nueces County as Precinct 4 county commissioner, and
3 his knowledge and dedication have earned him widespread respect and
4 appreciation; and

5 WHEREAS, During his tenure, Commissioner Cazalas has
6 successfully worked to lower taxes, implement tax exemptions for
7 senior citizens and the disabled, and lower workers' compensation
8 fund premiums; his public service also includes terms on the State
9 Pension Board of Trustees, the State Policy Committee for the
10 Conference of Urban Counties, and the State Community Development
11 Review Committee, which he chairs; and

12 WHEREAS, Commissioner Cazalas is a retired manager of
13 government and political affairs for CITGO Refining and Chemicals;
14 dedicated to giving back, he has chaired the board of directors of
15 the American Diabetes Association and been a member of the boards of
16 the Salvation Army, Food Bank of Corpus Christi, American Heart
17 Association, and March of Dimes WalkAmerica; and

18 WHEREAS, This notable Texan has received a number of
19 accolades for his outstanding work and support of worthwhile
20 endeavors; in addition to the Colin Powell America's Promise
21 Connection Award and the Citizen of the Year Award from the City of
22 Corpus Christi, he has earned the Coastal Stewardship Award from
23 the Texas General Land Office and the Walter B. Jones Memorial Award
24 for Excellence in Local Government from the National Oceanic and

1 Atmospheric Administration; and

2 WHEREAS, Each day, public servants work to improve the
3 quality of life for their fellow citizens in innumerable ways, and
4 the efforts of Commissioner Cazalas are helping to make Nueces
5 County a better place in which to live and work; now, therefore, be
6 it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
8 Legislature hereby honor Chuck Cazalas for his service as Nueces
9 County Commissioner and extend to him sincere best wishes for the
10 future; and, be it further

11 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
12 prepared for Commissioner Cazalas as an expression of high regard
13 by the Texas House of Representatives.

Hunter
Herrero
Ortiz, Jr.

H.R. No. 2678

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2678 was adopted by the House on May 31, 2009, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House