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H.R. No. 2741

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Craig A. Patton has served the Socorro Independent  
2 School District with great distinction, and was unopposed for  
3 reelection as District 1 trustee in 2009; and

4 WHEREAS, Committed to public service, Mr. Patton first served  
5 as a Socorro ISD trustee from 1996 to 1999; he was again elected in  
6 2002, and in 2005 he was elected to complete an unexpired term; the  
7 following year, he was reelected to another term in office, and he  
8 has served admirably as board president and vice president; and

9 WHEREAS, Mr. Patton is a graduate of The University of Texas  
10 at El Paso and the University of Houston law school, and he now has a  
11 private legal practice in El Paso; he and his wife, Teresa, a  
12 teacher at Sergeant Roberto Ituarte Elementary School, are the  
13 proud parents of Eric and Tyler; and

14 WHEREAS, Through his unwavering commitment to his district's  
15 students and staff, Craig Patton has led the way in fostering a  
16 supportive and challenging education environment, one that gives  
17 students a vision of what they might attain if they strive for  
18 success, and that equips them with skills that will help them to  
19 build fulfilling and productive lives; as he begins a new term on  
20 the school board, it is indeed fitting that he be recognized for his  
21 accomplishments; now, therefore, be it

22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas  
23 Legislature hereby commend Craig A. Patton on his service as a  
24 trustee of the Socorro Independent School District and extend to

1 him sincere best wishes as he begins his new term in office; and, be  
2 it further

3         RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
4 prepared for Mr. Patton as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
5 House of Representatives.