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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Jon English and Joey Morales have formed an
2 outstanding team as members of the Buda Buddies mentorship program
3 at Buda Elementary School, and as Joey moves on to junior high
4 school, it is indeed fitting that the four years of camaraderie they
5 have enjoyed together be recognized; and

6 WHEREAS, Joey Morales was just seven years old and in the
7 second grade when he and Mr. English became Buda Buddies; during
8 their first year in the program, they played computer games during
9 every visit, and then moved on to basketball, football, and soccer;
10 Mr. English has watched with great pride as his buddy has grown and
11 matured from a rambunctious child into an accomplished young man
12 who is an admired leader on campus and who excels in his indoor
13 soccer league and demonstrates tremendous team spirit; too small to
14 hit the regulation basketball hoop when they first met, Joey now
15 outscores Mr. English from behind the three-point line; and

16 WHEREAS, In addition, Joey recently broadened his artistic
17 horizons through participation in the school play, a production
18 based on the Boston Tea Party; he gave a riveting, nuanced
19 performance as the sea captain whose ship is boarded forcibly by
20 angry colonists; moreover, Joey has demonstrated exceptional
21 ability in mathematics, and his talent in that discipline will
22 surely serve him well as he continues his education and eventually
23 embarks on an interesting and rewarding career; and

24 WHEREAS, Although their time in the Buda Buddies program has

1 come to an end, Jon English will forever treasure his experience as
2 a mentor to Joey Morales, and we are pleased to join him in
3 congratulating this remarkable young Texan on his many noteworthy
4 accomplishments; now, therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
6 Legislature hereby commemorate the four happy years that Jon
7 English and Joey Morales have spent together in the Buda Elementary
8 School Buda Buddies program and extend to them both sincere best
9 wishes for the future; and, be it further

10 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
11 prepared for Mr. Morales and Mr. English as an expression of high
12 regard by the Texas House of Representatives.