SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 22

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Harmony Science Academy-San Antonio on the occasion of the grand opening and ribbon-cutting ceremony for its new school building, which are taking place in conjunction with its schoolwide science fair on January 24, 2009; and

WHEREAS, Harmony Science Academy-San Antonio is part of the Harmony School System, a network of 19 successful charter schools that have been in operation in Texas since 2000; the science academies are college preparatory schools with a strong emphasis on mathematics, science, and computer applications; and

WHEREAS, Harmony Science Academy-San Antonio opened its doors in 2006 with 260 students and has grown to a student body of nearly 600; it is the only charter school in San Antonio to have been rated exemplary for the last two years; and

WHEREAS, Successful in numerous academic competitions, Harmony Science Academy-San Antonio is a participant in the Texas Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math Initiative; it is truly deserving of recognition for its commitment to academic rigor and excellence as it prepares its students to face the challenges of the 21st century; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 81st Legislature, hereby commend Harmony Science Academy-San Antonio on its dedication to the education of its students and extend best wishes for a memorable grand opening and ribbon-cutting ceremony for its new facility; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for the academy as an expression of high regard from the Texas Senate.

Van de Putte

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on January 26, 2009.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate