SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 65

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize the Bryan Little League West Senior boys' baseball team, which recently won the title of United States Southwest Champions and participated in the 2008 Senior League World Series; and

WHEREAS, Bryan West won a series of tournaments on their way to becoming United States Southwest Champions, defeating teams from Beaumont, New Braunfels, New Mexico, Louisiana, and Colorado before sweeping Laredo in back-to-back victories to advance to the Senior League World Series in Bangor, Maine, where they defeated teams from Vilnius, Lithuania and Willemstad, Curaçao; and

WHEREAS, These young athletes have demonstrated great talent and perseverance throughout the year, ending the season with a record of 19-4; team members Matt Byer, David Contreras, Tommy Galvan, Arthur Garza, Nathan Kiser, Aron Longoria, Michael Martinez, Miguel Perez, Steven Spies, Jacob Spivey, Jacob Sutherland, Albert Vasquez, and David Williams can take great pride in their outstanding performance; and

WHEREAS, Under the superior leadership and expertise of manager Richard Martinez and with the superb assistance of coaches Tommy Galvan and Jonathan Martinez, the Bryan West club has developed exceptional teamwork and discipline; and

WHEREAS, The City of Bryan is proud of the team for its hard work, impressive skills, and fine sportsmanship; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 81st Legislature, hereby commend the Bryan Little League West Senior boys' baseball team on its successful season and extend congratulations on winning the title of United States Southwest Champions and participating in the 2008 Senior League World Series; and, be it further

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

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 21, 2009.

Secretary of the Senate