

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 135

**WHEREAS**, The Texas Senate takes great pride in recognizing the members of Leadership Lewisville from Lewisville, Texas, on the occasion of their visit to Austin February 9 and 10, 2009; and

**WHEREAS**, Sponsored by the Lewisville Chamber of Commerce, Leadership Lewisville is part of the chamber's Community Development Division; and

**WHEREAS**, The goals of Leadership Lewisville include providing a unique educational experience for those who participate in the program and helping them to develop their leadership skills; the program also aims to motivate emerging leaders and help them to acquire a working knowledge of the community; and

**WHEREAS**, Anyone who works or resides in the greater Lewisville area is eligible to apply for admission to the program; and

**WHEREAS**, Managed by the Leadership Lewisville Steering Committee, the program requires students to attend one school board meeting and one city council meeting during the nine-month session; and

**WHEREAS**, Having its participants learn the inner workings of private and public institutions and how and where one might make contributions to the community are the desired ends of Leadership Lewisville; and

**WHEREAS**, The class of 20 to 30 members is chosen without regard to race, gender, age, education, or personal or employment affiliations; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 81st Legislature, hereby commend Leadership Lewisville for its innovative and thorough approach to preparing citizens for prominent roles in their community; and, be it further

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

Nelson, Harris

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on February 10, 2009.

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Secretary of the Senate

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Member, Texas Senate

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