

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 892

**WHEREAS**, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize H-E-B and The Meadows Foundation for their charitable efforts on behalf of victims of family violence; and

**WHEREAS**, The demand for services for victims of family violence has increased in Texas during the past few months; and

**WHEREAS**, H-E-B and The Meadows Foundation have donated more than \$600,000 in 2009 for direct services to aid Texans seeking emergency assistance because of family violence; and

**WHEREAS**, The Meadows Foundation and H-E-B have responded quickly and affirmatively to an urgent need for funding for the operation of the National Domestic Violence Hotline, as well as community-based programs; and

**WHEREAS**, The Meadows Foundation has contributed more than \$3 million in the last five years to 29 domestic violence programs in Texas; and

**WHEREAS**, H-E-B has focused its giving during 2009 on basic needs for families and a continued commitment to the communities served by H-E-B; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 81st Legislature, hereby commend H-E-B and The Meadows Foundation for their concern for victims of family violence and their response to funding requests from the National Domestic Violence Hotline and Texas Council on Family Violence; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for these outstanding organizations as an expression of esteem from the Texas Senate.

Nelson

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 12, 2009.

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Secretary of the Senate

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Member, Texas Senate