SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 953

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize band students at Morehead Middle School in the El Paso Independent School District for their recent outstanding showing at the Alamo Showcase of Music in San Antonio; and

WHEREAS, Seventy-five students traveled to San Antonio to participate in the event on May 15 through 16; the showcase was promoted by Choice Music Events, a division of the Foundation for Music Education, which is dedicated to providing music students with positive, educational, and enriching performance opportunities; and

WHEREAS, The Morehead Middle School Band received a rating of superior and runner-up trophy at the showcase event; the school's program is one of the most successful in the El Paso Independent School District; many students have made the all-region band, and the percussion, wind ensemble, and symphonic bands have won numerous awards for their excellent performances; and

WHEREAS, The students in the Morehead Middle School Band are provided an environment conducive to learning and have gifted leaders to guide them, and their worthy achievements attest to their dedication and perseverance in pursuing their goals; and

their dedication and perseverance in pursuing their goals; and WHEREAS, The Morehead Middle School Band students are talented musicians who excelled individually and demonstrated outstanding proficiency in their group performances; they are a source of tremendous pride for their families and their school and they deserve recognition for their many accomplishments; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 81st Legislature, hereby commend members of the Morehead Middle School Band for their hard work and superb accomplishments and extend to them best wishes for continued success; and, be it further

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

Shapleigh

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 19, 2009.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate