

By: Davis of Dallas

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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Former National Football League star Tim Brown has  
2 been named a North Texas Father of the Year by the Sylvan Landau  
3 Foundation; and

4           WHEREAS, The Father of the Year Awards program was  
5 established in 1976 by Dallas men's clothier Sylvan Landau with the  
6 mission of honoring exceptional fathers while raising funds for  
7 children's charities; to date, the program has contributed nearly  
8 \$4 million to more than 30 Metroplex charities; and

9           WHEREAS, Tim Brown graduated from Woodrow Wilson High School  
10 in Dallas and went on to win the 1987 Heisman Trophy at the  
11 University of Notre Dame; a first-round NFL draft pick, he played 16  
12 seasons with the Oakland Raiders and retired in 2005; today he lives  
13 in DeSoto with his wife and four children and oversees the Tim Brown  
14 Foundation, which works to strengthen the moral character of  
15 America's youth and to prevent childhood obesity; and

16           WHEREAS, Committed to the health and success of America's  
17 children as well as his own, Tim Brown has set an inspiring example  
18 of leadership, and he is truly deserving of this prestigious  
19 accolade; now, therefore, be it

20           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas  
21 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby congratulate Tim Brown on  
22 being named a 2011 North Texas Father of the Year and extend to him  
23 sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

24           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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1 prepared for Mr. Brown as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
2 House of Representatives.