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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Tim Looper has consistently had outstanding success 2 with the Celina Pee Wee Football 6th-grade boys team, introducing 3 area youth to the fun, dedication, and camaraderie of organized 4 athletics; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. Looper first learned the sport in his native 6 Pilot Point, where he played for the local high school; he began 7 coaching youth football when he was living in The Colony in 1987, 8 and while there, his teams won 94 games while losing only 5, 9 grabbing 8 league Super Bowl titles along the way; in 1996, he and 10 his wife moved to Celina, where he has continued to coach and where 11 his accomplishments have been even more impressive; and

WHEREAS, Over the course of 150 games, Mr. Looper's Celina teams have won a remarkable 146 times, suffering just 3 losses and 1 tie; they have also won 12 league Super Bowl titles, including 10 championships in a row; athletes who were taught gridiron fundamentals on his teams have gone on to further success, and his former players have participated in seven Texas state high school championship games; and

WHEREAS, Working on a voluntary basis, Mr. Looper not only teaches winning football to his charges but encourages them to excel in all aspects of life; he expects exemplary conduct when the team travels, and he leads the boys in prayer before and after every game; through the years, he has directly influenced the lives of more than 1,000 young men, instilling in them a belief that a strong

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1 work ethic will lead to positive results; and

2 WHEREAS, Through his determined efforts, Coach Looper has 3 furthered the proud tradition of football excellence and 4 participation that has long been a hallmark of the Lone Star State, 5 and he has helped numerous young Texans to develop the character and 6 commitment they need to become productive citizens; now, therefore, 7 be it

8 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas 9 Legislature hereby honor Tim Looper for his fine work with the 10 Celina Pee Wee Football 6th-grade boys team and extend to him 11 sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it further

12 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 13 prepared for Mr. Looper as an expression of high regard by the Texas 14 House of Representatives.

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