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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Members of the National Junior Honor Society at  
2 Morris Upchurch Middle School in Queen City are visiting the State  
3 Capitol on January 20, 2011; and

4 WHEREAS, Founded in 1929, the National Junior Honor Society  
5 recognizes high-achieving, civic-minded students in the sixth  
6 through ninth grades; members of the Upchurch Middle School chapter  
7 have met the society's selection criteria by demonstrating  
8 excellence in the areas of citizenship, service, leadership,  
9 scholarship, and character; and

10 WHEREAS, Those students from Upchurch Middle School who are  
11 in Austin today include Cody Ball, Will Boitnott, Shiloh Goecke,  
12 Madison Grider, Lauren Hozdic, Hannah Hughey, Noah Hutchinson,  
13 Shelby Kennedy, Jacob Lawrence, Hannah McQuistion, Ashley Nolen,  
14 Emily Owens, Shelby Weerts, and Dalton Wright; accompanying the  
15 group are counselor Kendra Bates, teacher Laura Owens, NJHS advisor  
16 Philicia Upchurch, and her son, Joel; and

17 WHEREAS, The Texas Capitol is an ideal setting for students  
18 to discover the rich heritage of the Lone Star State and to gain  
19 insight into the workings of the state legislature, and it is a  
20 pleasure to recognize these members of the Morris Upchurch Middle  
21 School community; now, therefore, be it

22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas  
23 Legislature hereby welcome the students from the National Junior  
24 Honor Society at Morris Upchurch Middle School and their sponsors

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1 and extend to them sincere best wishes for a memorable and  
2 educational visit; and, be it further

3       RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
4 prepared for the group as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
5 House of Representatives.