

By: Cain

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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Ruth Ann Jones of Honey Grove High School was named
2 the first State Beta Sponsor of the Year at the Texas Beta Club
3 Convention in Dallas on January 14 and 15, 2011; and

4 WHEREAS, The National Beta Club was founded in 1934 to foster
5 in young people academic achievement, character, leadership, and
6 service to others; today there are more than 420,000 active members
7 in over 8,000 junior and senior Beta Clubs worldwide; and

8 WHEREAS, Ms. Jones, a mathematics teacher, has served as the
9 local sponsor of the Beta Club for 18 years in addition to serving
10 as a state sponsor-elect in 2003 and 2004 and as a state sponsor in
11 2005 and 2006; under her leadership, members of the Honey Grove Beta
12 Club have participated in a variety of worthwhile activities,
13 including visits to nursing homes, house-painting projects, and
14 military and veteran recognition events; her receipt of the state
15 Beta Sponsor award qualifies her to be considered for the National
16 Beta Club Sponsor of the Year Award at the national convention in
17 Nashville in June; and

18 WHEREAS, For nearly two decades, Ruth Ann Jones has
19 exemplified the highest ideals of the Beta Club, providing guidance
20 and inspiration to the young people of Honey Grove and beyond, and
21 it is indeed fitting to honor her at this time; now, therefore, be
22 it

23 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
24 Legislature hereby congratulate Ruth Ann Jones on her selection as

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1 the State Beta Sponsor of the Year and extend to her sincere best
2 wishes for continued success and happiness; and, be it further

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