

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Sixth-grader Alexis Rodriguez of Waco demonstrated  
2 considerable bravery when she rescued two young family members from  
3 a house fire on January 24, 2011; and

4           WHEREAS, A student at Cesar Chavez Middle School,  
5 Ms. Rodriguez was watching television that evening when she smelled  
6 smoke and then discovered flames; she initially tried to douse the  
7 fire herself with a bucket of water, but it had already grown too  
8 large; and

9           WHEREAS, Thinking quickly, Ms. Rodriguez remembered that two  
10 of her cousins, a one-year-old and a three-year-old, were in a back  
11 bedroom, and she carried each one to safety outside the house; and

12           WHEREAS, The Waco Fire Department presented Ms. Rodriguez  
13 with a certificate of commendation in recognition of her heroism;  
14 and

15           WHEREAS, Alexis Rodriguez's actions in a frightening and  
16 dangerous situation helped to avert an even greater tragedy, and it  
17 is a pleasure to honor her for her courage and composure; now,  
18 therefore, be it

19           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas  
20 Legislature hereby commend Alexis Rodriguez for rescuing her two  
21 young cousins from a burning house and extend to her sincere best  
22 wishes for the future; and, be it further

23           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
24 prepared for Ms. Rodriguez as an expression of high regard by the

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1 Texas House of Representatives.

Anderson of McLennan

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 999 was adopted by the House on April 7, 2011, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House