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## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, John Callison received the Teacher of the Year award
from the Mineola Chamber of Commerce at a banquet held on February
15, 2011; and

WHEREAS, An auto mechanics instructor at Mineola High School, Mr. Callison has taught in the district for nearly 23 years and has also been an agricultural science student teacher; he established Slot car racing contests at his school, with the proceeds going toward scholarships for auto mechanics students; and

9 WHEREAS, Mr. Callison studied at Tyler Junior College and 10 East Texas State University and earned a master's degree from 11 Stephen F. Austin State University in 2007; highly respected by his 12 peers, he paid tribute in his acceptance speech to all teachers who 13 strive to make a difference in the lives of their students; and

WHEREAS, The strength of our communities depends on individuals like John Callison, whose tireless work in behalf of area youth has contributed immeasurably to the quality of life in Mineola; now, therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas 19 Legislature hereby congratulate John Callison on his receipt of the 20 2010 Teacher of the Year award from the Mineola Chamber of Commerce 21 and extend to him sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be 22 it further

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1477 was adopted by the House on May 5, 2011, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House