

By: Hughes

H.R. No. 1477

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, John Callison received the Teacher of the Year award  
2 from the Mineola Chamber of Commerce at a banquet held on February  
3 15, 2011; and

4           WHEREAS, An auto mechanics instructor at Mineola High School,  
5 Mr. Callison has taught in the district for nearly 23 years and has  
6 also been an agricultural science student teacher; he established  
7 slot car racing contests at his school, with the proceeds going  
8 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

14           WHEREAS, The strength of our communities depends on  
15 individuals like John Callison, whose tireless work in behalf of  
16 area youth has contributed immeasurably to the quality of life in  
17 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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1 Texas House of Representatives.