

By: Martinez

H.R. No. 1759

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Progreso Independent School District is helping
2 to broaden the path of educational opportunity for its students as a
3 sponsor of an Early College High School program; and

4 WHEREAS, Established through a partnership with the Texas
5 Education Agency, the Texas High School Project, and South Texas
6 College, the Progreso Early College High School Academy blends high
7 school and college curricula, offering traditionally underserved
8 students an opportunity to earn as much as two years, or 60 hours,
9 of college credit before receiving their diplomas; and

10 WHEREAS, The young men and women currently benefiting from
11 the initiative include Justin Davila, Amairani Lopez, Denis Lopez,
12 Estevan Marroquin, Yahaira Munoz, Enrique Pineda, Jr., Jessica
13 Reyes, Sergio Rocha, Nattalie Silva, Fidencio Soto, Selena Amaya,
14 Uziel Cameron, Isabel Cervantes, Victor Cuellar, Jr., Nathan
15 Galvan, Ilse Martinez, Ariana Marquez, Steve Medrano, Abigail
16 Miranda, Jennifer Rodriguez, Rigoberto Serna, Jr., Stephanie
17 Silva, Katherine Wolfe, Natalie Barreiro, Maria Limas, Alondra
18 Moncada, and Daniel Munoz; and

19 WHEREAS, This worthwhile program would not be possible
20 without the support of Superintendent Fernando Castillo and the
21 local school board, which includes President Michael Rene Vela,
22 Vice President Raul Martinez, Secretary Juan J. Ramos, Treasurer
23 David Hernandez, and trustees Raul Martinez, Jr., Felix Hernandez,
24 Jr., and Juan T. Vela; and

1 WHEREAS, By creating a seamless transition between high
2 school and college, the Progreso ISD Early College High School
3 program is bringing countless young Texans closer to their goal of
4 achieving a higher education; now, therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
6 Legislature hereby honor the Progreso Independent School District
7 for its Early College High School program and extend to all those
8 associated with this important initiative sincere best wishes for
9 continued success; and, be it further

10 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
11 prepared for the district as an expression of high regard by the
12 Texas House of Representatives.