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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Yolanda Clarke of Travis High School in Richmond has
2 been named 2011-2012 Secondary Teacher of the Year by the Fort Bend
3 Independent School District; and

4 WHEREAS, Ms. Clarke earned her bachelor's degree in English
5 and journalism from Baylor University, and she has attended Rice
6 University's Advanced Placement Summer Institute; she has served as
7 a presenter at several district and state conferences; and

8 WHEREAS, An exemplary educator with 15 years of experience,
9 Ms. Clarke has taught 12th-grade English at Travis High School for
10 the past five years; recognizing the important role that teachers
11 play in the lives of their students, she works to instill all with
12 pride in their own worth and accomplishments; and

13 WHEREAS, Children are the Lone Star State's most precious
14 resource, and a solid education is vital in order for our young
15 people to become successful adults; Ms. Clarke exemplifies the
16 qualities that make a truly great teacher, and she indeed merits
17 special recognition; now, therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
19 Legislature hereby congratulate Yolanda Clarke of Travis High
20 School for being named 2011-2012 Secondary Teacher of the Year by
21 the Fort Bend Independent School District and extend to her sincere
22 best wishes for the future; and, be it further

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

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1 House of Representatives.