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H.R. No. 2053

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The members of the Richardson Independent School
2 District board of trustees have demonstrated an exceptional
3 commitment to area schoolchildren, and it is indeed fitting to
4 recognize their service; and

5 WHEREAS, Providing young citizens with a quality education is
6 essential to creating a prosperous future for our state and nation,
7 and public schools are the cornerstone of this crucial endeavor;
8 local school board members work with parents, classroom teachers,
9 and other education professionals to provide the best possible
10 learning environment for students; and

11 WHEREAS, Elected to serve three-year staggered terms, the
12 members of the Richardson school board set district policies and
13 support their execution, employ and evaluate the superintendent,
14 and adopt the annual budget; in addition, they levy and collect
15 taxes and issue bonds and perform specific duties imposed by the
16 state; and

17 WHEREAS, Current trustees are Luke Davis, Kim Caston, Kris
18 Oliver, Lanet Greenhaw, Karen Holburn, Kim Quirk, and Karen Ellis;
19 that group met in January 2011 and voted unanimously to set forth a
20 new strategic direction, which included the adoption of a mission
21 "to serve and prepare all students for their global future" and the
22 values of "integrity, inspiration, inclusiveness, and innovation";
23 and

24 WHEREAS, Through their tireless efforts to promote high

1 standards of student achievement, the members of the Richardson
2 Independent School District board of trustees have set an inspiring
3 example of dedication to public education, and they have made a
4 positive difference in their community; now, therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
6 Legislature hereby recognize the Richardson Independent School
7 District board of trustees and extend to its members sincere best
8 wishes for continued success; and, be it further

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