

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Davilin Hamel, a participant in the Texas  
2 Legislative Internship Program (TLIP), has rendered outstanding  
3 service in the office of Representative Barbara Mallory Caraway  
4 during the 82nd Legislative Session; and

5           WHEREAS, Established in 1990 and administered by the Mickey  
6 Leland Center on World Hunger and Peace at Texas Southern  
7 University, TLIP provides a unique opportunity for students from  
8 Texas colleges and universities to serve as interns in the Texas  
9 Legislature, in state agencies, and in local government offices;  
10 students receive academic credit for participating in the program,  
11 which combines study and research with supervised practical  
12 training; Senator Rodney Ellis serves as a program advisor, and his  
13 office assists with coordinating on-site activities; and

14           WHEREAS, A senior at Lamar University studying graphic  
15 design, Ms. Hamel hails from Beaumont; she is a member of Alpha Phi  
16 Omega, a coeducational service fraternity, and Beta Sigma Phi, a  
17 cultural sorority, and she worked for the student newspaper *The*  
18 *Rattler* and the literary magazine *The Pecan Grove Review* when she  
19 attended St. Mary's University in San Antonio; she plans to draw on  
20 her experience with photography and writing in a future career in  
21 mass media and politics; and

22           WHEREAS, Davilin Hamel has skillfully handled a variety of  
23 duties in the office of Representative Mallory Caraway and ably  
24 assisted in meeting the needs of constituents, and she may reflect

1 proudly on her service as a legislative intern; now, therefore, be  
2 it

3       RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas  
4 Legislature hereby commend Davilin Hamel for her tireless  
5 dedication and exemplary work as a participant in the Texas  
6 Legislative Internship Program and extend to her sincere best  
7 wishes for the future; and, be it further

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

Mallory Caraway

H.R. No. 2722

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2722 was adopted by the House on May 30, 2011, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House