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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Barbara Fallon received the 2012 Shining Star Award
2 for her outstanding volunteer efforts in North Richland Hills; and

3 WHEREAS, A member of that community for the past 35 years,
4 Ms. Fallon graduated from the North Richland Hills Citizens Police
5 Academy in 1997; she then joined the Citizens Police Academy Alumni
6 Association and served on its board of directors, and in 2009, she
7 became one of the first participants in a new initiative,
8 Volunteers in Police Service; the following year, she was named
9 team leader for all VIPS tasks and duties within the police
10 department, overseeing such programs as crash reports, jail cards,
11 9-1-1 quality assurance calls, and the community resource program;
12 and

13 WHEREAS, Ms. Fallon is also active in the North Richland
14 Hills Police Department patrol division, and she has volunteered
15 more than 2,000 total hours to the department; moreover, she
16 educates others in the community on police department volunteer
17 opportunities; she recently attended a Texas Citizens on Patrol
18 Association conference at which the North Richland Hills VIPS
19 program was named the top volunteer agency in the state, and the
20 program has been honored by the International Association of Chiefs
21 of Police as well; and

22 WHEREAS, The strength of our communities depends on the
23 efforts of individuals like Barbara Fallon, and the citizens of
24 North Richland Hills are fortunate indeed to count her among their

1 fellow residents; now, therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
3 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby congratulate Barbara
4 Fallon on her receipt of the 2012 Shining Star Award and extend to
5 her sincere best wishes for continued success and happiness; and,
6 be it further

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