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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, In recognition of her skill, professionalism, and  
2 enthusiasm, Pamela Brown of the Dallas Independent School District  
3 has been named 2013 Librarian of the Year by The Big Read Dallas;  
4 and

5 WHEREAS, The Big Read is a program of the National Endowment  
6 for the Arts that promotes reading by encouraging residents of an  
7 area to read and discuss a single book; in addition, the program  
8 stages events, supports book clubs, and sponsors a librarian of the  
9 year contest; and

10 WHEREAS, A librarian for the Dallas ISD since 1998, Pamela  
11 Brown is currently a media specialist at William Hawley Atwell  
12 Middle School Law Academy; she was selected for this prestigious  
13 award over 60 other librarians in Dallas; and

14 WHEREAS, This dynamic professional received more than 300  
15 glowing nominations from students and fellow educators, who took  
16 special note of her creative efforts to promote reading, such as  
17 dressing up as characters from books and performing raps about  
18 books and reading; and

19 WHEREAS, Pamela Brown's dedication and innovative spirit  
20 have greatly benefited the students and readers at her school and in  
21 her community, and she may indeed take great pride in their  
22 affection and respect, as reflected by this prestigious award; now,  
23 therefore, be it

24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas

1 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby congratulate Pamela Brown  
2 for being named 2013 Librarian of the Year by The Big Read Dallas  
3 and extend to her sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be  
4 it further

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