

By: Farney

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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The Georgetown Chamber of Commerce presented Bob  
2 Brent with the 2012 Owen W. Sherrill Award in recognition of his  
3 outstanding service to his community; and

4           WHEREAS, This prestigious honor is reserved for those  
5 individuals whose leadership, vision, and commitment to Georgetown  
6 have truly shaped the city for the better; and

7           WHEREAS, Just over a decade ago, Bob Brent, then chair of the  
8 chamber board, introduced his vision for Georgetown to become "the  
9 finest community of 100,000 or more in the United States"; the ideas  
10 he presented, focusing on education, health care, public safety,  
11 and economic development, laid the foundation for the Strategic  
12 Plan for the City of Georgetown and engaged thousands of citizens in  
13 the process of its development; and

14           WHEREAS, A champion of education, Mr. Brent has been a member  
15 of several successful school bond committees and was chair of  
16 Georgetown Partners in Education; moreover, he served on the  
17 chamber's first Development Alliance, played an instrumental role  
18 in the Georgetown Aging Initiative, and helped create the  
19 Williamson County Institute for Excellence in Nonprofits; and

20           WHEREAS, The citizens of Georgetown have greatly benefited  
21 from Bob Brent's dedication and involvement, and he may take  
22 justifiable pride in his ongoing contributions to the town he is  
23 proud to call home; now, therefore, be it

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

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1 Legislature hereby honor Bob Brent on his receipt of the 2012 Owen  
2 W. Sherrill Award from the Georgetown Chamber of Commerce and  
3 extend to him sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it  
4 further

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