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H.R. No. 683

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Harley Stewart Savage, Jr., has been named the 2012
2 Man of the Year by the Bay City Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture;
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4 WHEREAS, A native of Matagorda County, Stewart Savage
5 graduated from Bay City High School and Texas Lutheran University;
6 together with his family, he has built the largest organic rice farm
7 in Texas; and

8 WHEREAS, Mr. Savage has given generously of his time and
9 resources to a number of organizations; he is a past president of
10 the local Rotary Club, and he has served on the boards of the
11 U.S. Department of Agriculture's Matagorda County Farm Service
12 Agency, the Matagorda County Women's Crisis Center, Kids in
13 Distress, and the Bay City Country Club, as well as a regional
14 council advising the Lower Colorado River Authority; moreover, he
15 has held a seat on the board of directors of the Bay City Chamber and
16 on its agriculture committee and serves as chief cook for the
17 chamber's crawfish boil; and

18 WHEREAS, An active fundraiser, Mr. Savage has supported the
19 MEHOP Family Health Center, the regional fair association, and area
20 churches and FFA programs; he is a man of faith who worships at
21 St. Mark's Episcopal Church, teaches Sunday school, and has served
22 as a church warden; and

23 WHEREAS, Mr. Savage enjoys the love of a fine family that
24 includes his wife, Tami Savage, two sons, a daughter-in-law, and a

1 grandson; and

2 WHEREAS, The strength of our communities depends on
3 individuals like Stewart Savage, whose notable work in behalf of
4 area residents and institutions has contributed greatly to the
5 quality of life in Bay City; now, therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd
7 Texas Legislature hereby congratulate Stewart Savage on his
8 selection as the 2012 Man of the Year by the Bay City Chamber of
9 Commerce & Agriculture and extend to him sincere best wishes for the
10 future; and, be it further

11 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
12 prepared for Mr. Savage as an expression of high regard by the Texas
13 House of Representatives.