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## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Terri Hoover of Dallas has helped promote public
safety through her endeavors as founder of Clickit4life; and

3 WHEREAS, Hoping to save parents from the heartache of losing 4 a child, Ms. Hoover founded Clickit4life in 2007 in memory of her 5 son, Jake, who died in an accident; the organization works 6 diligently to educate young people on the importance of safe 7 driving and wearing a seatbelt; and

WHEREAS, According to the Centers for Disease Control and 8 Prevention, teens have the lowest rate of seatbelt use and eight 9 Americans between the ages of 16 and 19 die in motor vehicle crashes 10 11 each day; Clickit4life seeks to make these statistics more real to 12 youngsters by collecting personal stories from the families of victims, and the organization has placed memorial billboards around 13 14 the Dallas area to illustrate the need to buckle seatbelts and exercise care on the roadways; and 15

16 WHEREAS, Those Texans who step forward to make their 17 communities safer are indeed worthy of the respect and admiration 18 of their fellow citizens, and through her leadership in 19 Clickit4life, Terri Hoover is contributing greatly to the effort to 20 reduce traffic fatalities in North Texas; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas Legislature hereby commend Terri Hoover for her work in behalf of driving safety and extend to her sincere best wishes for the continued success of Clickit4life; and, be it further

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