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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Jennifer Wilhite of Chapin High School in El Paso
- 2 received well-deserved recognition when she was named the 2013
- 3 Region 19 Education Service Center Secondary Teacher of the Year;
- 4 and
- 5 WHEREAS, Chosen for her expertise, community involvement,
- 6 and philosophy of teaching, among other factors, Ms. Wilhite was
- 7 selected from a field of 21 contenders representing elementary and
- 8 secondary schools in the area; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Ms. Wilhite grew up in Idaho and was inspired to
- 10 teach by her mother's love of literature, her father's passion for
- 11 teaching high school math, and her experiences tutoring her
- 12 siblings; as a world literature and gifted and talented independent
- 13 studies instructor at Chapin High School, she develops lessons that
- 14 blend humor and current events with high expectations to create a
- 15 learning environment that is both challenging and engaging; and
- WHEREAS, With her creativity and energy, Jennifer Wilhite has
- 17 inspired in her students a zeal for learning that will serve them
- 18 well throughout their lives, and she is a source of pride to her
- 19 school and her community; now, therefore, be it
- 20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
- 21 Legislature hereby congratulate Jennifer Wilhite on her selection
- 22 as the Secondary Teacher of the Year by the Region 19 Education
- 23 Service Center and extend to her sincere best wishes for continued
- 24 success with her important work; and, be it further

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- 1 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 2 prepared for Ms. Wilhite as an expression of high regard by the
- 3 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1028 was adopted by the House on March 27, 2013, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House