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H.R. No. 1108

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Midway Middle School Boys Choir performed on
2 March 13 and 14, 2013, at the national convention of the American
3 Choral Directors Association held in Dallas; and

4 WHEREAS, Chosen out of more than 300 groups from across the
5 nation, the Midway choir was the only public school boys choir to
6 receive a coveted invitation to perform at the convention, where
7 they joined just 14 other groups, including professional choirs
8 from four countries; and

9 WHEREAS, The Midway boys choir, directed by Tammy Benton, was
10 showcased during concerts at the Winspear Opera House and the
11 Meyerson Symphony Center; its program, a shining example of vocal
12 mastery, represented several genres, with Italian, German, and
13 Latin texts, and a closing medley from the musical "Chicago"; and

14 WHEREAS, These gifted young Texans have developed their
15 remarkable talents through perseverance and many hours of practice,
16 and they can take justifiable pride in their accomplishments; now,
17 therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
19 Legislature hereby congratulate members of the Midway Middle School
20 Boys Choir on the selection of the choir to perform at the national
21 convention of the American Choral Directors Association and extend
22 to the Midway students sincere best wishes for the future; and, be
23 it further

24 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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1 prepared for the choir as an expression of high regard by the Texas
2 House of Representatives.