By: White H.R. No. 1131

## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Milton Cowart of Lumberton was named Mr. East Texas

2 by the Tyler County Dogwood Festival, and he is being honored on

3 April 6, 2013, during the Dogwood Pageant; and

WHEREAS, The Mr. East Texas award is given annually to the

5 person whose leadership and community spirit best serves the growth

6 and progress of East Texas; and

7 WHEREAS, Born in Beaumont, "Mic" Cowart graduated from

8 Lumberton High School, where he played football; he subsequently

9 went to work at the Beaumont Line Department for Gulf State

10 Utilities; he attended college at night and went on to earn an

11 associate's degree in electrical technology and a bachelor's degree

12 in industrial engineering technology from Lamar University; today,

13 he is the energy customer service manager for Hardin and Tyler

14 Counties, and he dedicates his time to a number of local

15 organizations; and

16 WHEREAS, Texans benefit each day from the contributions of

17 those civic leaders who improve the quality of life in their

18 communities, and Mic Cowart is indeed deserving of commendation for

19 his work in behalf of his fellow residents; now, therefore, be it

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

21 Legislature hereby congratulate Milton Cowart on being named Mr.

22 East Texas for 2013 by the Tyler County Dogwood Festival and extend

23 to him sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it further

24 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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- 1  $\,$  prepared for Mr. Cowart as an expression of high regard by the Texas  $\,$
- 2 House of Representatives.