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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, David Busch, founder of the Hawaiian Falls chain of
2 water parks, was featured in the 2012 publication *Bold Leadership:
3 Biblical Principles for Marketplace Impact*, written by Dr. Merlin
4 Switzer; and

5 WHEREAS, Authored by a professional business consultant, the
6 book includes insight from more than 70 prominent business leaders
7 on how their faith has factored into their management strategies,
8 their workplace relationships, and their successes in the market;
9 and

10 WHEREAS, David Busch spent more than 30 years in the
11 amusement park industry before opening the first Hawaiian Falls
12 water park in Garland in 2003; in the decade since, his enterprise
13 has expanded into a chain of four parks throughout North Texas and
14 one in Waco; and

15 WHEREAS, From the outset, Mr. Busch's faith has played a
16 prominent role in his business philosophy, which emphasizes
17 compassion and servant leadership; he has encouraged employees to
18 care for guests according to the tenets of Christianity, such as
19 putting others first and treating others as they wish to be treated;
20 and

21 WHEREAS, David Busch has made a positive difference in the
22 business community by successfully integrating his faith into his
23 management practices, and his words of advice are certain to be a
24 source of inspiration to the many who aspire to emulate his model of

1 principled leadership; now, therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
3 Legislature hereby congratulate David Busch on being featured in
4 the book *Bold Leadership: Biblical Principles for Marketplace*
5 *Impact* and extend to him sincere best wishes for the future; and, be
6 it further

7 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
8 prepared for Mr. Busch as an expression of high regard by the Texas
9 House of Representatives.