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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Jennifer Harpham of Lake Jackson has received a 2012
Cradle of Texas District Award of Merit from the Bay Area Council of
the Boy Scouts of America; and

WHEREAS, This distinguished service commendation is the 4 5 highest honor a volunteer can receive at the district level of Boy Scouts and pays tribute to individuals who have made a positive 6 difference in the lives of Texas youth through their dedicated work 7 in behalf of the organization; the Cradle of Texas District 8 9 includes the entire Brazosport area, including Surfside and Quintana, as well as the West of Brazos cities from Churchill to 10 11 Damon; and

12 WHEREAS, A truly deserving recipient, Mrs. Harpham has 13 shared her time and talents with Cub Scout Pack 324, sponsored by 14 St. Michael's Catholic Church in Lake Jackson, for more than 10 years; currently guiding her fifth son through the scouting 15 16 program, she has served in every den leader position from Tiger Cubs to Webelos II and has acted as the religious emblems coordinator for 17 the Light of Christ and the Parvuli Dei programs; on the district 18 level, she has served as chair of the past three District Day Camps 19 20 and is planning the coming event this June; and

21 WHEREAS, Mrs. Harpham has also earned district recognition 22 with the Distinguished Scouter Award in 2009 and the Lone Star 23 Scouter Award in 2010; in addition to her work with the Boy Scouts 24 organization, she is an auxiliary manager for the Lake Jackson

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Little League, a member of the board of the Faith in Action Ministry
Group, vice president of the Brazoswood Quarterback Club, and an
instructor for the eighth grade youth group at St. Michael's;
Mrs. Harpham is employed as a prekindergarten teacher at the School
for Little People; and

6 WHEREAS, Many young Texans have benefited from the 7 leadership, commitment, and enthusiasm of Jenny Harpham, and it is 8 a pleasure to join in acknowledging her exceptional contributions 9 to the Boy Scouts of America; now, therefore, be it

10 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas 11 Legislature hereby congratulate Jennifer Harpham on receiving a 12 Cradle of Texas District Award of Merit from the Bay Area Council of 13 the Boy Scouts of America and extend to her sincere best wishes for 14 the future; and, be it further

15 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 16 prepared for Mrs. Harpham as an expression of high regard by the 17 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1199 was adopted by the House on April 17, 2013, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House