

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Judy Telge, president of the League of Women Voters
2 of Corpus Christi, is being honored at the organization's annual
3 meeting on May 17, 2013, for her outstanding service to the Corpus
4 Christi chapter; and

5 WHEREAS, Since becoming president in 2011, Ms. Telge has
6 helped to expand the LWV-CC and enhance its diversity by bringing
7 together members of different backgrounds, ethnicities, and
8 abilities; during the 2012 election, in keeping with the
9 organization's mission, she oversaw the use of the League of Women
10 Voters Education Fund to support the "Vote 18 Project," which
11 encouraged high school students in the area to become civically
12 engaged; as a result of these efforts, more than 600 students
13 registered to vote; and

14 WHEREAS, Known throughout the community for her integrity and
15 dedication to her community, Ms. Telge exemplifies the principles
16 of the League of Women Voters in her personal and professional life;
17 she currently serves as interim executive director of the Coastal
18 Bend Center for Independent Living, which she cofounded, and she
19 works as a mediator with the Key Bridge Foundation Center for
20 Mediation, focusing specifically on resolving disputes involving
21 the Americans with Disabilities Act; in addition, she is active in
22 numerous organizations, including the Employment Alliance for
23 People with Disabilities of the Coastal Bend and the City of Corpus
24 Christi Emergency Operations Functional Needs Committee, and she

1 has advocated for the full inclusion of people with disabilities at
2 public events; and

3 WHEREAS, Through her energetic, determined leadership, Judy
4 Telge has helped to draw more citizens into the political process
5 and to make that process more accessible to area residents, and in
6 so doing, she has contributed to empowering countless fellow Texans
7 and to strengthening the social fabric and governing process of her
8 community; now, therefore, be it

9 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
10 Legislature hereby commend Judy Telge for her exceptional service
11 as president of the League of Women Voters of Corpus Christi and
12 extend to her sincere best wishes for continued success in all her
13 endeavors; and, be it further

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

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H.R. No. 1427

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1427 was adopted by the House on April 24, 2013, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House