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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Dona Julian Cassel has demonstrated exceptional 2 generosity through her support of the College of Education and 3 Human Services at her alma mater, Texas A&M University--Commerce; 4 and

5 WHEREAS, Ms. Cassel has made a new gift to the university to 6 facilitate the integration and effective use of technology in the 7 teacher education program; and

WHEREAS, The funding provided by Ms. Cassel, which is part of 8 9 a larger commitment for the Dona Julian Cassel Creative Technology Classroom, will allow faculty members to develop and apply 10 11 technology skills to enhance instruction, research, writing, and 12 service activities and will provide opportunities for preservice, in-service, and graduate teacher education students to develop and 13 14 apply technology skills to improve the teaching/learning process; 15 and

16 WHEREAS, With a bachelor's degree in elementary education and 17 a master's degree in English, Ms. Cassel is a poet and a retired 18 teacher who has returned to live in her hometown of Pittsburg; she 19 is an active member of the East Texas Medical Center Foundation and 20 the Northeast Texas Community College Foundation; and

21 WHEREAS, Ms. Cassel is a champion of innovation and 22 achievement in higher education in Texas, and she is indeed 23 deserving of special recognition and praise; now, therefore, be it 24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas

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 Legislature hereby honor Dona Julian Cassel for her contributions
 to Texas A&M University--Commerce and extend to her sincere best
 wishes for the future; and, be it further

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2019 was adopted by the House on May 17, 2013, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House