

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Those Texans who give freely of their time and
2 talents to benefit the larger community make the world a better
3 place through their actions and their example, and Jarrod D. Smith
4 of Danbury is one such person; and

5 WHEREAS, A lifelong resident of Brazoria County, Jarrod Smith
6 was raised in Danbury and graduated from Danbury High School; he
7 attended Alvin Community College, then earned degrees from the
8 University of Houston-Clear Lake and the Thurgood Marshall School
9 of Law at Texas Southern University; in 2007, he received his
10 license from the State Bar of Texas and opened his law practice,
11 which deals with a wide range of legal cases; he also works in the
12 title insurance industry and partners as a fee attorney with the
13 Alamo Title Company in Angleton and Alvin; and

14 WHEREAS, Mr. Smith gives generously of his time and talents
15 in support of worthy causes throughout Brazoria County; a
16 professional auctioneer, he has participated in more than 80 area
17 auctions since 2012 alone and has helped to raise millions of
18 dollars for local churches, schools, and nonprofit organizations;
19 moreover, he serves on the board of commissioners for Brazoria
20 County Emergency Services District No. 3, as well as on the board of
21 the Alvin Community College Foundation and on the Downtown
22 Revitalization Committee of the City of Angleton; in 2012, *The*
23 *Facts* newspaper recognized this dynamic Texan as an "Unsung Hero"
24 for his notable work in the area; in all his endeavors, Mr. Smith

1 enjoys the love and support of his wife, Hayley, a dedicated mother
2 who is devoting her energies to raising their four-year-old twins,
3 Hannah and Madeline, and their one-and-a-half-year-old, Demi; the
4 Smiths are active members of the Community Baptist Church of
5 Danbury, and Mrs. Smith plays an instrumental role in the Youth and
6 Children's Ministry; and

7 WHEREAS, Through his inspiring and selfless endeavors,
8 Jarrod Smith has demonstrated a lasting commitment to making
9 Brazoria County an even better place in which to live and work, and
10 in so doing, he has earned the deep respect and appreciation of his
11 fellow residents; now, therefore, be it

12 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
13 Legislature hereby honor Jarrod D. Smith for his contributions to
14 Brazoria County and extend to him sincere best wishes for continued
15 success; and, be it further

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

Bonnen of Brazoria

H.R. No. 2389

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2389 was adopted by the House on May 22, 2013, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House