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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Those Texans who give freely of their time and

talents to benefit the larger community make the world a better

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

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

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

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- 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
- 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
- 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
- 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.