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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, The Mayor's Top 100 Teens program in El Paso
- 2 recognizes a diverse group of high school students each year in an
- 3 effort to promote positive images of teens and to create a community
- 4 that values them; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Those teens selected for the initiative have
- 6 demonstrated scholastic achievement and a commitment to their
- 7 education, and they have overcome significant obstacles in their
- 8 lives; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Through his participation in the 2012-2013 Mayor's
- 10 Top 100 Teens program, Juan Carlos Martinez has engaged in such
- 11 positive activities as helping to prepare meals for community
- 12 shelters and volunteering for various nonprofit organizations; he
- 13 has also been involved in a number of community parades and
- 14 celebrations and has given back to area citizens as part of Global
- 15 Youth Service Day; in addition, he has worked to raise awareness of
- 16 traffic safety and driving risks as a leader in the Teens in the
- 17 Driver Seat program; and
- 18 WHEREAS, Juan Carlos Martinez has distinguished himself as an
- 19 outstanding role model for his peers, and he is a source of pride to
- 20 his family, school, and hometown; now, therefore, be it
- 21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
- 22 Legislature hereby honor Juan Carlos Martinez for his contributions
- 23 as a participant in the 2012-2013 Mayor's Top 100 Teens program and
- 24 extend to him sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it

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- 1 further
- 2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 3 prepared for Mr. Martinez as an expression of high regard by the
- 4 Texas House of Representatives.