

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Gaven Norris of Houston has rendered outstanding
2 service to his fellow Texans during the 83rd Legislative Session as
3 a participant in the Texas Legislative Internship Program; and

4 WHEREAS, Sponsored by Senator Rodney Ellis, TLIP was
5 established in 1990 and is administered by the Mickey Leland Center
6 on World Hunger and Peace at Texas Southern University; the program
7 provides a unique opportunity for students from Texas colleges and
8 universities to serve as interns in the Texas Legislature, in state
9 agencies, and in local government offices; participants receive
10 academic credit for their work with the initiative, which combines
11 study and research with supervised practical training; and

12 WHEREAS, Since joining TLIP, Mr. Norris has served as a
13 liaison for the Economic and Small Business Development Committee
14 and assisted with House rules for the session and with legislation
15 regarding manufacturing, medical board compliance, employment,
16 health and safety, and criminal law; a graduate of The University
17 of Texas-Permian Basin, he is currently pursuing a master's degree
18 in public administration at his alma mater while also working
19 toward his juris doctorate through the Thurgood Marshall School of
20 Law at Texas Southern University; and

21 WHEREAS, This noteworthy young Texan has performed his duties
22 as a legislative intern with skill and dedication, and he has gained
23 valuable work experience in the field of public service while
24 learning more about the legislative process and the issues facing

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1 citizens of the Lone Star State; now, therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
3 Legislature hereby honor Gaven Norris of Houston for his
4 participation in the Texas Legislative Internship Program and
5 extend to him sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

6 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
7 prepared for Mr. Norris as an expression of high regard by the Texas
8 House of Representatives.

Davis of Dallas

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2706 was adopted by the House on May 24, 2013, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House