By: Davis of Dallas

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## RESOLUTION

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

WHEREAS, Sponsored by Senator Rodney Ellis, TLIP 4 was 5 established in 1990 and is administered by the Mickey Leland Center on World Hunger and Peace at Texas Southern University; the program 6 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 academic credit for their work with the initiative, which combines 10 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 regarding manufacturing, medical board compliance, employment, 15 16 health and safety, and criminal law; a graduate of The University of Texas-Permian Basin, he is currently pursuing a master's degree 17 in public administration at his alma mater while also working 18 toward his juris doctorate through the Thurgood Marshall School of 19 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

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
Legislature hereby honor Gaven Norris of Houston for his
participation in the Texas Legislative Internship Program and
extend to him sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further
RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
prepared for Mr. Norris as an expression of high regard by the Texas
House of Representatives.