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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Jack Noteware is retiring as the principal of Apollo
2 Junior High School in Richardson at the end of the 2012-2013 school
3 year, drawing to a close a notable tenure in education that has
4 spanned more than four decades; and

5 WHEREAS, A longtime local resident, Mr. Noteware is a
6 graduate of the Richardson Independent School District and The
7 University of Texas at Austin; in 1968, he began teaching and
8 coaching at Northwood Junior High School in RISD, and he later
9 gained experience as an assistant principal there; he joined Apollo
10 as an assistant principal in 1986, and he was named principal of the
11 school in 1998; and

12 WHEREAS, This distinguished educator and administrator has
13 enthusiastically supported Apollo faculty, staff, and students and
14 has been a reliable presence at all school events; engaging the
15 surrounding community, he has hosted an annual luncheon for area
16 veterans each November, and on Veteran's Day, he has welcomed the
17 local Veterans of Foreign Wars color guard to the school to raise
18 the flag while the band plays the national anthem; and

19 WHEREAS, Through his dedication, professionalism, and
20 commitment to excellence, Jack Noteware has greatly benefited the
21 students of Apollo Junior High, and he may indeed reflect with pride
22 on his accomplishments as he prepares to embark on the next exciting
23 chapter of his life; now, therefore, be it

24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas

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1 Legislature hereby congratulate Jack Noteware on his retirement as
2 principal of Apollo Junior High School and extend to him sincere
3 best wishes for the future; and, be it further

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