

R E S O L U T I O N

1       WHEREAS, Oscar Faye Branch Williams has been honored as a  
2 recipient of the Gold Blazer Award by her alma mater, Texas A&M  
3 University--Commerce, for her contributions to the school and to  
4 her community; and

5       WHEREAS, A member of the Class of 1973, Ms. Williams earned a  
6 bachelor's degree in biology and sociology from Texas A&M  
7 University--Commerce; after taking a job as a laboratory technician  
8 at Parkland Memorial Hospital, she transitioned to the field of  
9 zoning and code enforcement for the City of Dallas, serving the  
10 public in that arena for 25 years and being named assistant director  
11 of the city's code compliance department; she now trains code  
12 enforcement professionals throughout Texas as a senior training  
13 specialist with the Texas A&M Engineering Extension Service; and

14       WHEREAS, Ms. Williams is a lively and outgoing individual who  
15 gives to others by serving as a member of the Delta Sigma Theta  
16 sorority and the alumni relations board of Texas A&M  
17 University--Commerce; in addition, she has helped to establish  
18 scholarships for students at the institution; and

19       WHEREAS, Oscar Faye Williams has demonstrated a deep and  
20 lasting commitment to her alma mater, and she is truly deserving of  
21 recognition for her years of dedication; now, therefore, be it

22       RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas  
23 Legislature hereby congratulate Oscar Faye Branch Williams on her  
24 receipt of the Gold Blazer Award from Texas A&M

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1 University--Commerce and extend to her sincere best wishes for the  
2 future; and, be it further

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2767 was adopted by the House on May 24, 2013, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House