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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Leah McDonough has been honored with a 2012-2013
- 2 Superior Teaching Achievements Recognition Award from the
- 3 Richardson Independent School District Excellence in Education
- 4 Foundation; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Each year since 1977, the RISD Excellence in
- 6 Education Foundation has presented STARS Awards to exemplary
- 7 Richardson teachers who have motivated young Texans to strive for
- 8 success; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Throughout her tenure at Terrace Elementary School,
- 10 Ms. McDonough has helped the children in her classroom to thrive by
- 11 working to understand their individual needs and by keeping them
- 12 engaged in their studies; and
- WHEREAS, Serving as role models and mentors, the best
- 14 educators bring to the classroom creativity, energy, and
- 15 resourcefulness; Leah McDonough is one such teacher, and she has
- 16 inspired in her students a love of learning that will serve them
- 17 well throughout their lives; now, therefore, be it
- 18 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
- 19 Legislature hereby congratulate Leah McDonough on her receipt of a
- 20 STARS Teacher Recognition Award from the Richardson ISD Excellence
- 21 in Education Foundation and extend to this dedicated professional
- 22 sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further
- 23 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 24 prepared for Ms. McDonough as an expression of high regard by the

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1 Texas House of Representatives.