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H.R. No. 3093

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Students and teachers at Village Elementary School
2 in Georgetown have assisted the Cookie Commandos in expressing
3 appreciation for the courageous service of this nation's military
4 personnel; and

5 WHEREAS, Organized approximately 10 years ago by a group of
6 veterans and retirees, the Cookie Commandos bake, collect, and
7 deliver treats to the men and women at Fort Hood; their distribution
8 sites have included the Soldier Process Readiness Center, where
9 troops are interviewed and evaluated before being deployed, the
10 Warrior Transition Brigade Campus, where injured soldiers are
11 treated, and the Fisher House, which provides lodging for families
12 of hospitalized service members; and

13 WHEREAS, The success of the Cookie Commandos' ambitious
14 project has been made possible by the extraordinary help the group
15 has received from numerous other residents in the area, as well as
16 from several businesses; among those who have given particular
17 assistance to the program have been students, teachers, and staff
18 at Village Elementary School in Georgetown, who have contributed
19 cookies, cakes, and more in abundance; and

20 WHEREAS, Through their work with the Cookie Commandos,
21 members of the Village Elementary School community have helped
22 bring cheer to countless American soldiers and have conveyed a
23 heartfelt thanks for their selfless efforts in this country's
24 behalf; now, therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
2 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the students, teachers, and staff
3 of Village Elementary School for their outstanding collaboration
4 with the Cookie Commandos and honor them for their steadfast,
5 generous support of our troops; and, be it further

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