H.R. No. 3177

RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, St. Alcuin Montessori School in Dallas is 2 celebrating the 50th anniversary of its founding in 2014; and 3 WHEREAS, Established in 1964 by Episcopal priest Albert Taliaferro, St. Alcuin Montessori originally operated 4 as Montessori School of Dallas, offering classes out of a home in 5 Highland Park for nearly 70 preschool-age children; now located on 6 7 a picturesque 12-acre campus, the institution has expanded to include toddler, primary, and elementary programs, as well as an 8 International Baccalaureate Middle Years Programme for the sixth, 9

10 seventh, and eighth grades; and

11 WHEREAS, St. Alcuin Montessori seeks to develop innovative 12 thinkers and passionate learners; faculty members, many of whom are 13 trained abroad at the Association Montessori Internationale, 14 engage their charges by challenging and nurturing them as they 15 develop self-confidence, competency, imagination, and the desire 16 to lead lives of positive influence; and

WHEREAS, For half a century, the teachers and staff of St. Alcuin Montessori School have committed themselves to meeting the educational needs of their students, and the school has played a vital role in helping many young Texans build a bright and prosperous future; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas Legislature hereby commemorate the 50th anniversary of the founding of St. Alcuin Montessori School and extend to all those associated

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 3177 was adopted by the House on May 27, 2013, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House