

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 735

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Fort Worth residents Nancy and Roy Rimmer, who are being honored as the recipients of the 2013 Opening Doors Leader Award by the Mental Health Mental Retardation of Tarrant County Visions Foundation on April 25, 2013; and

WHEREAS, This prestigious honor is given each year to a person or a family in recognition of their vision, leadership, and commitment to persons with disabilities; and

WHEREAS, Nancy and Roy Rimmer are being recognized for their deep compassion for and support of homeless veterans and people with intellectual and developmental disabilities; over the years, they have regularly supported Mental Health Mental Retardation of Tarrant County, the Visions Foundation, Liberty House, Camp Summit, and the Make-a-Wish Foundation; and

WHEREAS, Not only have Mr. and Mrs. Rimmer donated their own time and effort, they have passed down the tradition to their children and grandchildren; each year at Christmas, the family hosts the annual Liberty House holiday celebration and comes together to decorate and deliver presents to the veterans who are associated with Liberty House; and

WHEREAS, Nancy and Roy Rimmer dedicate their resources in a wide variety of ways each year; they volunteer to host charity events, work at golf tournament fund-raisers, and serve on committees related to mental health issues, and their shared sense of humanity and their generosity of spirit are deeply appreciated within the mental health advocacy sector; now, therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 83rd Legislature, hereby commend Nancy and Roy Rimmer on their outstanding charitable efforts and congratulate them on being named the recipients of the 2013 Opening Doors Leader Award by the Mental Health Mental Retardation of Tarrant County Visions Foundation; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for them as an expression of high regard from the Texas Senate.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on April 22, 2013.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate