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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Glen Rose High School head basketball coach Wayne
Roberts reached a notable milestone when he recorded his 700th
career win on December 11, 2014; and

WHEREAS, The memorable victory came in the opening round of the Glen Rose Lions Club Tournament against the squad from West High School; playing with their trademark skill and determination, the Tigers built up a lead in the second and third quarters and went on to secure a 56-39 win, setting off a jubilant celebration among the Glen Rose players in honor of their coach; and

WHEREAS, Coach Roberts began his career in 1982 at Lamesa High School, where he took several of his squads to the state tournament, and he took over as head basketball coach at Glen Rose in 2001; in earning his 700th win, he has furthered his reputation as an exemplary coach, and his accomplishment is made all the more special by the fact that he is retiring at the end of the 2014-2015 season; and

WHEREAS, Over the course of his more than three decades in the coaching profession, Wayne Roberts has made a positive difference in the lives of countless young people, and he is truly deserving of special recognition for the remarkable accomplishment of winning 20 games; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas Legislature hereby congratulate Wayne Roberts on his 700th career victory as a basketball coach and extend to him sincere best wishes

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1 for continued success; and, be it further

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