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H.R. No. 743

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The Lake Highlands Women's League raised a  
2 record-setting amount of money for charity with its 36th annual  
3 Holiday in the Highlands Home Tour on December 5, 2014; and

4           WHEREAS, During this festive event each Christmas season,  
5 residents of Lake Highlands generously open their beautiful homes  
6 to generate funds in support of local schools and libraries,  
7 nonprofit organizations, and scholarships for students at Lake  
8 Highlands High School; this year, the tour raised \$213,195, a sum  
9 that exceeded last year's total by more than \$15,000 and that  
10 represented the highest amount ever raised by the tour; and

11           WHEREAS, Since 1969, the Lake Highlands Women's League has  
12 dedicated itself to uniting and promoting Lake Highlands through  
13 community service; over the past 45 years, the LHWL has awarded more  
14 than \$2.1 million to worthy causes, giving \$1.5 million to  
15 scholarship funds alone, and each year, league members contribute  
16 over 2,500 volunteer hours; in addition to the Home Tour, members  
17 sponsor a collection each September for the Network of Community  
18 Ministries, and every spring, they express their appreciation to  
19 local police officers and firefighters with a bountiful array of  
20 home-baked treats; and

21           WHEREAS, The civic groups of the Lone Star State play an  
22 indispensable role in improving the quality of life for countless  
23 Texas residents, and the members of the Lake Highlands Women's  
24 League may take great pride in their strong tradition of service to

1 others; now, therefore, be it

2           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas  
3 Legislature hereby congratulate the Lake Highlands Women's League  
4 on the record-breaking success of its 2014 Holiday in the Highlands  
5 Home Tour and extend to the league's members sincere best wishes for  
6 continued success in their important work; and, be it further

7           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
8 prepared for the Lake Highlands Women's League as an expression of  
9 high regard by the Texas House of Representatives.