By: Muñoz, Jr. H.R. No. 1169

RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Karla Espinosa of Mission has been named a
- 2 Distinguished Finalist in the 2015 Prudential Spirit of Community
- 3 Awards program, earning recognition as one of the top youth
- 4 volunteers in Texas; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Sponsored by Prudential Financial and the National
- 6 Association of Secondary School Principals, the Spirit of Community
- 7 Awards has worked for two decades to honor young people in middle
- 8 school and high school who demonstrate an extraordinary commitment
- 9 to serving their communities; this year, more than 30,000 teens
- 10 from across the nation were considered for recognition; and
- 11 WHEREAS, A 17-year-old senior at Sharyland High School,
- 12 Ms. Espinosa founded the Driving for Wishes Golf Classic, sponsored
- 13 by Texas National Bank, in September 2014; in addition to promoting
- 14 the event, she recruited volunteers and supporters, and her efforts
- 15 helped to raise more than \$73,000 for the Make-A-Wish Foundation;
- 16 and
- 17 WHEREAS, Karla Espinosa has demonstrated remarkable
- 18 initiative and determination in the pursuit of a worthy goal, and
- 19 this outstanding young Texan is a source of inspiration to all who
- 20 are privileged to know her; now, therefore, be it
- 21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
- 22 Legislature hereby congratulate Karla Espinosa on her selection as
- 23 a Distinguished Finalist in the 2015 Prudential Spirit of Community
- 24 Awards and extend to her sincere best wishes for continued success

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- 1 in all her future endeavors; and, be it further
- 2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 3 prepared for Ms. Espinosa as an expression of high regard by the
- 4 Texas House of Representatives.