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H.R. No. 1436

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Roger Garza is concluding his tenure on the
2 Pleasanton City Council in 2015, after nearly two decades of
3 exemplary service; and

4 WHEREAS, Even before joining the city council, Mr. Garza was
5 an active member of his community and launched a successful
6 campaign to redraw the district boundaries in Atascosa County;
7 achieving this goal inspired him to become more involved in
8 government, and he was subsequently elected to represent District 5
9 on the Pleasanton City Council; over the course of his 18 years in
10 office, he has played a key role in a number of important
11 initiatives, including cleanup efforts for the Atascosa River, the
12 hiring of a firm to build a new fire station, and the planning,
13 design, and approval of civic center construction; and

14 WHEREAS, A lifelong resident of Atascosa County, Mr. Garza
15 attended Jourdanton Elementary School and continued his education
16 in the Pleasanton Independent School District; after graduating
17 from high school, he went on to study photography, oil painting, and
18 still-life portraiture at San Antonio College, and he later became
19 part of Pleasanton High School's inaugural adult computer class; in
20 October 1975, this dedicated entrepreneur opened his own business,
21 Pleasanton Floral Photography and Tuxedos, which he still operates
22 from its original location; and

23 WHEREAS, In all of his endeavors, Mr. Garza enjoys the love
24 and support of his wife, Ann, and he takes great pride in their five

1 children; and

2 WHEREAS, Roger Garza has proven himself a civic leader of
3 great vision and ability, and he is indeed deserving of recognition
4 for his tireless efforts to make the Pleasanton area an even better
5 place to live and work; now, therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
7 Legislature hereby commend Roger Garza for his service on the
8 Pleasanton City Council and extend to him sincere best wishes for
9 the future; and, be it further

10 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
11 prepared for Mr. Garza as an expression of high regard by the Texas
12 House of Representatives.