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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Corpus Christi Literacy Council is celebrating
2 the 30th anniversary of its founding in 2016; and

3 WHEREAS, Since opening its doors in 1986, the Corpus Christi
4 Literacy Council has focused on reducing the functional illiteracy
5 rate in Nueces County, which today is estimated at 17 percent; in
6 addition to developing and promoting literacy programs, the
7 organization recruits volunteer tutors who work one-on-one with
8 students at more than 80 tutoring sites in its service area; and

9 WHEREAS, To date, the CCLC has helped more than 6,400
10 individuals throughout the Corpus Christi Bay Area and South Texas;
11 the literacy council also hosts periodic workshops for tutors and
12 literacy advocates as well as other fun events designed to promote
13 support and enthusiasm for reading; and

14 WHEREAS, Through its myriad efforts, the Corpus Christi
15 Literacy Council is helping thousands of area residents to develop
16 a skill that is essential to everyday living, and in so doing, it is
17 making a worthy contribution to the community as a whole; now,
18 therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
20 Legislature hereby honor the Corpus Christi Literacy Council on the
21 30th anniversary of its founding and commend all those associated
22 with the group for their energy and dedication; and, be it further

23 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
24 prepared for the organization as an expression of high regard by the

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1 Texas House of Representatives.