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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Brother Cletus Behlmann is being recognized for his
- 2 notable accomplishments by the Westside Development Corporation at
- 3 the organization's 2015 Westside Honors Exitos en Nuestro Barrio
- 4 Gala, taking place in San Antonio on May 21; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Selected as the arts and culture honoree, Brother
- 6 Cletus is a Marianist brother, and he taught for 19 years before
- 7 joining St. Mary's University Art Center in 1977; he chairs the
- 8 institution's Fine Arts Committee and serves as director and
- 9 artist-in-residence at the center, where he gives demonstrations
- 10 and teaches; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Brother Cletus studied at the Chicago Institute of
- 12 Art and at Washington University in St. Louis; an exceptionally
- 13 versatile and prolific artist, he makes time amid his myriad
- 14 responsibilities to create beautiful pieces in a variety of media,
- 15 including metal, acrylics, watercolor, batik, pastels, stained
- 16 glass, ceramics, handmade paper, and crayon; his work is widely
- 17 admired for its deeply spiritual quality; and
- 18 WHEREAS, Brother Cletus Behlmann has made a meaningful
- 19 difference in the community through his worthwhile endeavors, and
- 20 he is indeed deserving of this significant accolade; now,
- 21 therefore, be it
- 22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
- 23 Legislature hereby congratulate Brother Cletus Behlmann on his
- 24 recognition by the Westside Development Corporation at the 2015

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- 1 Westside Honors Exitos en Nuestro Barrio Gala and extend to him
- 2 sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it further
- 3 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 4 prepared for Brother Cletus Behlmann as an expression of high
- 5 regard by the Texas House of Representatives.