By: Giddings

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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Those Texans who give freely of their time and 2 talents to benefit their fellow citizens make the world a better 3 place through their actions and their example, and Thomas M. 4 Dunning of Dallas is being recognized for his exceptional community 5 service by being named a recipient of a 2015 Profiles in Leadership 6 Award; and

WHEREAS, This highly esteemed individual has served his 7 community as chair of the Dallas Citizens Council, as vice 8 9 president of the Dallas Park and Recreation Board, and as the first Homeless Czar for the city; he has also held appointments to the 10 11 boards of the Texas Departments of Transportation, Human Services, 12 and Criminal Justice; currently, Mr. Dunning is serving on the boards of the Baylor Health Care System Foundation, the Southern 13 Methodist University Tower Center for Political Studies, The 14 Bridge, North Dallas Shared Ministries, and Greenhill School; and 15

16 WHEREAS, Over the years, Mr. Dunning has received a number of 17 prestigious accolades, including the Linz Award, the Anti-Defamation League Humanitarian Award, and the Volunteer 18 Center of North Texas Servant Leader Award; a graduate of The 19 20 University of Texas at Austin, he has been named chair emeritus of Lockton Dunning Benefits; and 21

22 WHEREAS, The strength and unity of our cities are enhanced by 23 the devoted efforts of individuals such as Thomas Dunning, whose 24 tireless work has contributed immeasurably to the quality of life

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1 in Dallas; now, therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas 3 Legislature hereby congratulate Thomas M. Dunning on his receipt of 4 a 2015 Profiles in Leadership Award and commend him on his exemplary 5 record of civic engagement; and, be it further

6 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 7 prepared for Mr. Dunning as an expression of high regard by the 8 Texas House of Representatives.