

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 89

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Coach Rick Rhoades, who has been named the recipient of a 2014 University Interscholastic League Sponsor Excellence Award; and

WHEREAS, This prestigious honor was established to identify and recognize outstanding sponsors who assist students in developing and refining their extracurricular talents to the highest degree while helping them keep their self-esteem separate from their success or failure in competition; and

WHEREAS, Coach Rhoades is the Cameron Independent School District athletic director and the head football coach of the C. H. Yoe High School Yoemen; over the course of his 31-year coaching career, he has coached football, basketball, track and field, and baseball; and

WHEREAS, He recently led the Yoemen to their third consecutive state football championship in a season in which he also won his 100th game as a varsity head football coach; his coaching record includes leading two track and field teams to state championships, and he has won numerous district honors; and

WHEREAS, Coach Rhoades is known for emphasizing the role of athletics in a well-rounded education and for working to include as many students as possible in athletic activities; he has had a positive impact on the lives of countless young people, and it is fitting that he receive special recognition for his successes; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 84th Legislature, hereby commend Coach Rick Rhoades for his exemplary achievements and extend congratulations to him on earning a 2014 University Interscholastic League Sponsor Excellence Award; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for him as an expression of high regard from the Texas Senate.

Schwertner

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on February 3, 2015.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate