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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Odilon Bretado retired as the custodian of Crockett
2 Elementary School in Midland in June 2017, drawing to a close nearly
3 four decades of distinguished service to the school; and

WHEREAS, Hired in 1978, Mr. Bretado took exceptional care of the campus, keeping everything clean and orderly and providing swift, skilled assistance whenever requested; he even checked on the school on his days off; until 2001, his wife also worked at Crockett Elementary; and

9 WHEREAS, While fulfilling his many responsibilities, Mr. Bretado contributed significantly to the welcoming, family 10 atmosphere of the school; his quiet, friendly manner endeared him 11 12 to the faculty and staff, and as a resident of the neighborhood, he related well to the students and their families; moreover, he kept 13 14 in touch with many alumni through the years, helping to strengthen their connection to the school and the community; and 15

16 WHEREAS, At the time of his retirement, Mr. Bretado ranked as 17 the longest-tenured member of the staff at Crockett Elementary; in 18 April 2017, he was recognized by Educate Midland for his 19 outstanding contributions; and

20 WHEREAS, Odilon Bretado set a positive example of dedication, 21 diligence, and cordiality for generations of students, and in so 22 doing, he earned the lasting admiration and affection of all those 23 who have been privileged to know him; now, therefore, be it

24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas

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Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby congratulate Odilon
 Bretado on his retirement from Crockett Elementary School and
 extend to him sincere best wishes for continued happiness; and, be
 it further

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