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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Marilyn Hinton concluded her terms as the Place 6 2 representative on the Plano Independent School District Board of Trustees in 2017, following eight years of notable service; and 3 WHEREAS, Ms. Hinton was first elected to the board in 2009, 4 5 and during her tenure she worked closely with parents, teachers, administrators, and other concerned citizens to foster a supportive 6 7 and challenging environment at district schools; she further distinguished herself through her role as secretary of the board; 8 9 and WHEREAS, A resident of Plano since 1994, Ms. Hinton holds a 10 11 bachelor's degree in speech and drama from Fisk University and a 12 master's degree in education from Howard University; she has long been a vital asset to the district, previously working as a teacher 13 14 for the Head Start program at Meadows Elementary School and volunteering as a member of the Plano ISD Diversity Advisory 15 improvement committees; 16 Committee and two school-based addition, she has served as a visiting scholar at Brookhaven 17 College, a counselor and adjunct professor at Richland College, and 18 a youth director at a nonprofit agency for homeless 19 20 transitional families; and 21 WHEREAS, This esteemed educator is also a graduate of Leadership Plano, and she has served on the boards of The Samaritan 22 23 Inn, the Plano Metro Rotary Club, and Character.org; moreover, she has held membership with the Plano Symphony Orchestra Virtuoso 24

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- 1 Society and Jack and Jill of America, Inc., and served as a
- 2 volunteer with the Children's Advocacy Center of Collin County and
- 3 as a Sunday school teacher; in recognition of her many
- 4 contributions to her community, she was presented with a 2012 Women
- 5 of Excellence Award by the Plano Community Forum; she is supported
- 6 in all her endeavors by the love and encouragement of her husband,
- 7 Jim, and their two daughters; and
- 8 WHEREAS, The people of Plano have benefited immeasurably from
- 9 Marilyn Hinton's vision and leadership, and her fine work has
- 10 helped provide countless local students with a strong academic
- 11 foundation on which to build a bright and prosperous future; now,
- 12 therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
- 14 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby commend Marilyn Hinton on
- 15 her service as a member of the Plano Independent School District
- 16 Board of Trustees and extend to her sincere best wishes for the
- 17 future; and, be it further
- 18 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 19 prepared for Ms. Hinton as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 20 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 201 was adopted by the House on August 15, 2017, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House