

By: Roberts

H.R. No. 489

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Steven Smith, secretary of the Klein Independent  
2 School District Board of Trustees, concluded his term in June 2017,  
3 following six years of exemplary service; and

4           WHEREAS, Since winning election to the board in November  
5 2011, Mr. Smith has collaborated with his fellow trustees to  
6 benefit district schools; and

7           WHEREAS, This notable Texan has also given back to his  
8 community by mentoring Klein ISD students, teaching English as a  
9 second language classes, and providing tax preparation services for  
10 low-income individuals and senior citizens; strong in his faith, he  
11 is an active member of St. Ignatius of Loyola Catholic Church, and  
12 he has served on the church's finance and Knights of Columbus  
13 councils; and

14           WHEREAS, A former officer in the U.S. Navy, Mr. Smith enjoyed  
15 successful careers in the energy and banking sectors; he holds a  
16 bachelor's degree in electrical engineering from the University of  
17 Kansas and a master's degree in business administration from the  
18 University of Colorado; moreover, he received a Master Trustee  
19 certification from the Leadership Texas Association of School  
20 Boards in 2013; and

21           WHEREAS, In all his endeavors, he has enjoyed the love and  
22 support of his wife, Debbie, and their two children; and

23           WHEREAS, A dedicated advocate for area students and their  
24 families, Steven Smith has furthered the mission of Klein ISD, and

1 he may take pride in the many meaningful contributions he made  
2 during his tenure on the board; now, therefore, be it

3         RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas  
4 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby honor Steven Smith for his  
5 service on the Klein Independent School District Board of Trustees  
6 and extend to him sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be  
7 it further

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