

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Deborah Cordova was named Woman of the Year by the
2 Mission *Progress Times* and the Greater Mission Chamber of Commerce
3 at the annual Citizens Awards banquet in October 2016; and

4 WHEREAS, Each year, the Mission chamber and the newspaper
5 recognize outstanding citizens for their efforts to benefit the
6 local community; and

7 WHEREAS, Deborah Cordova has served on the Mission Boys and
8 Girls Club Board of Directors for nine years, and she has worked
9 tirelessly to ensure the success of the club's annual scholarship
10 fund-raiser; in addition, she is the first woman in almost 70 years
11 to serve as chair of the Rio Grande Valley Partnership Chamber of
12 Commerce; and

13 WHEREAS, Accustomed to taking on leadership roles in the
14 community, Ms. Cordova also chaired the first annual Wills for
15 Heroes Clinic for Hidalgo County veterans; she further served on
16 planning committees for the yearly Monster Bash, a fund-raiser for
17 the Make-A-Wish Foundation, and for the annual school supply drive
18 for the Court Appointed Special Advocates of Hidalgo County; and

19 WHEREAS, Through her exceptional contributions, Deborah
20 Cordova has helped make Mission an even better place in which to
21 live and work, and she is indeed deserving of this notable honor;
22 now, therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
24 Legislature hereby congratulate Deborah Cordova on her selection as

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1 the 2016 Woman of the Year by the Greater Mission Chamber of
2 Commerce and the *Progress Times* and extend to her sincere best
3 wishes for continued success; and, be it further

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

Muñoz, Jr.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 157 was adopted by the House on
January 25, 2017, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House