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R E S O L U T I O N

1   WHEREAS, Caroline Carothers is making a positive difference
2 in the Lone Star State through her role as Miss Texas 2016; and
3   WHEREAS, Having previously earned the title of Miss Plano,
4 Caroline Carothers competed in the Miss Texas pageant in Richardson
5 on July 2, 2016, winning the talent portion of the contest with her
6 baton twirling and securing the Miss Texas crown; she went on to
7 represent her home state at the Miss America pageant in Atlantic
8 City, where she placed among the top seven finalists; and
9   WHEREAS, In the course of her reign, Ms. Carothers is making
10 many public appearances to speak about her personal platform, "With
11 + Math = I Can," and she has entered into a partnership with Amazon
12 Learning in an effort to encourage Texas youth to embrace math and
13 education; she also serves as a representative of the Children's
14 Miracle Network and works with a number of agencies that provide
15 vital services for children, families, veterans, the elderly, and
16 the homeless; and
17   WHEREAS, A Golden Girl feature baton twirler at Baylor
18 University, Ms. Carothers will return to Baylor at the end of her
19 12-month speaking tour to complete her degree in secondary math
20 education; and
21   WHEREAS, Caroline Carothers has demonstrated commendable
22 dedication and perseverance in the pursuit of her goals, and she may
23 indeed reflect with pride on her accomplishments as she looks
24 forward to a future bright with promise; now, therefore, be it

1   RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
2   Legislature hereby honor Caroline Carothers for the contributions
3   she has made to her community as Miss Texas 2016 and extend to her
4   sincere best wishes for continued success and happiness; and, be it
5   further
6   RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
7   prepared for Ms. Carothers as an expression of high regard by the
8   Texas House of Representatives.