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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Kaitlyn Jankovsky is an inspiring young lady who has
2 shown courage and resolve during her battle against childhood
3 cancer; and

4 WHEREAS, The daughter of Richard and Joann Jankovsky, Kaitlyn
5 Jankovsky was born on December 12, 2000, in Harlingen; she is
6 currently a sophomore at Woodsboro High School, where she is a
7 member of the National Honor Society; before her illness, she
8 managed an active schedule of cheerleading, track, and volleyball
9 outside of her work in the classroom; and

10 WHEREAS, In early August 2014, Kaitlyn was diagnosed with
11 acute lymphoblastic leukemia, the most common form of childhood
12 cancer; she immediately began treatment at Driscoll Children's
13 Hospital in Corpus Christi, and she completed chemotherapy on
14 November 10, 2016; and

15 WHEREAS, This lively teenager has demonstrated a fondness for
16 hunting and the outdoors, and while the disease has interrupted her
17 involvement in extracurricular pursuits, she maintains a positive
18 attitude and is engaged in the goal of promoting childhood cancer
19 awareness; blessed with the love and reassurance of her family, she
20 has also received an outpouring of prayers and support from near and
21 far, and members of her community have banded together to raise
22 funds in her behalf; and

23 WHEREAS, Kaitlyn Jankovsky is persevering through a life
24 challenge that would test the fortitude of individuals many years

1 her senior, and her strength and determination have earned her the
2 heartfelt admiration of countless people; now, therefore, be it

3 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
4 Legislature hereby honor Kaitlyn Jankovsky for her bravery in
5 fighting cancer and extend to her and her family warmest best wishes
6 for all the good fortune she so richly deserves in the journey
7 ahead; and, be it further

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