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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The members of the fifth class of Governor William
2 P. Clements Jr. Scholars have distinguished themselves through
3 their commitment to public service and public policy; and

4 WHEREAS, These young Texans are participating in the Clements
5 Legislative Study Program, which is hosted by the Texas
6 Conservative Coalition Research Institute; this exemplary program
7 seeks to train, support, and sustain the next generation of leaders
8 and public servants, instilling in them the values and work ethic of
9 former governor William P. Clements Jr.; and

10 WHEREAS, Governor Clements overcame the misfortunes that
11 befell his family during the Great Depression to create the world's
12 largest offshore drilling company; he won an upset victory to
13 become the state's first Republican governor since Reconstruction,
14 bringing his business acumen to state government and focusing on
15 such issues as sound budgeting, crime prevention, and economic
16 diversification; and

17 WHEREAS, The Clements Legislative Study Program is the only
18 program of its kind to bring conservative students to Austin so that
19 they may gain valuable experience in leadership and public service
20 by working directly with members of the Texas Legislature; and

21 WHEREAS, The program's fifth class consists of Logan
22 Davidson, Gustav Gygi, Elizabeth Haynie, Daniel Manks, Ashton
23 Moore, Julia Reeves, Evan Reid, Kelly Robinson, Saurabh Sharma,
24 Abby Sinclair, Horace Tipton, and Madison Yandell; and

1 WHEREAS, By taking part in this special program, the members
2 of the fifth class of Governor William P. Clements Jr. Scholars are
3 furthering their understanding of civics, government, and history,
4 and the knowledge and skills they learn from their time at the Texas
5 Legislature will serve them well in the years ahead; now,
6 therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
8 Legislature hereby commend the Governor William P. Clements
9 Jr. Scholars for their dedication to public policy and for their
10 service to their state and nation and extend to them best wishes for
11 success in all their future endeavors; and, be it further

12 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
13 prepared for the students as an expression of high regard by the
14 Texas House of Representatives.