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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Skyler Barker has been presented with the 2016 Chief
2 Floyd Simpson Police Officer of the Year award by the Kiwanis Club
3 of Corpus Christi; and

4 WHEREAS, A former marine and a four-year veteran of the
5 Corpus Christi Police Department, Skyler Barker was appointed last
6 year to the SWAT team and the Honor Guard; he was recognized by the
7 Kiwanis Club for such outstanding efforts as making numerous drug
8 and gun arrests and seizures, assisting detectives in a missing
9 persons investigation, and leading crisis negotiations; in
10 addition to conferring on him the Police Officer of the Year award,
11 the Kiwanis Club designated him as Operations Bureau Officer of the
12 Year; and

13 WHEREAS, Over the course of 2016, this esteemed law
14 enforcement professional was also twice selected as Officer of the
15 Month for the Charlie district, and he earned six letters of
16 recognition; in all his endeavors, he is supported by the love and
17 encouragement of his wife, Michelle; and

18 WHEREAS, Admired for his courage, expertise, and unwavering
19 dedication to duty, Officer Skyler Barker exemplifies the highest
20 standards of his vocation, and he is indeed deserving of this
21 prestigious recognition; now, therefore, be it

22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
23 Legislature hereby congratulate Skyler Barker on receiving the 2016
24 Chief Floyd Simpson Police Officer of the Year award from the

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1 Kiwanis Club of Corpus Christi and extend to him sincere best wishes
2 for continued success; and, be it further

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