

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Matthew David Wurst is marking a significant
2 milestone in his life in May 2017, when he graduates from Stephen F.
3 Austin State University; and

4 WHEREAS, The son of proud parents Tom and Ann Wurst, Matt
5 Wurst was a member of the Class of 2013 at Cypress Falls High School
6 in Houston, where he distinguished himself as a four-year member of
7 the Golden Eagle Marching Band; a talented trumpet player, he also
8 performed with the Oregon Crusaders Drum and Bugle Corps for two
9 seasons; and

10 WHEREAS, While at SFA, Mr. Wurst demonstrated impressive
11 dedication to his studies in pursuit of his bachelor's degree in
12 political science; active in the college community, he served in a
13 number of leadership roles in the Student Government Association
14 and as director of sponsor relations for the Driving Jacks
15 organization, and he has been a member of the SFA Employee Wellness
16 program and the Sigma Iota Rho and Pi Sigma Alpha honor societies;
17 in addition, he presented a talk in 2016 entitled "Political
18 Participation and the Millennial Generation" at TEDxSFA and a
19 paper entitled *Women's Rights: The Fight for Education and Pay* at
20 the Naval Academy Foreign Affairs Conference; and

21 WHEREAS, Mr. Wurst also worked as a community assistant in
22 the Residence Life Department and as a student instructor and tutor
23 for the Academic Assistance and Research Center; moreover, he
24 counts among his proudest achievements serving as a legislative

1 aide in the office of State Representative Travis Clardy during the
2 85th Texas Legislature; and

3 WHEREAS, Exciting challenges and opportunities await this
4 outstanding young Texan, and he may indeed take great satisfaction
5 in his accomplishments as he embarks on the next chapter of his
6 life; now, therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
8 Legislature hereby congratulate Matthew David Wurst on his
9 graduation from Stephen F. Austin State University and extend to
10 him sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it further

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

Clardy

H.R. No. 2003

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2003 was adopted by the House on May 25, 2017, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House