

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Laurie Burnham Roberts has ably served the people of  
2 Texas as an aide in the office of State Representative Rafael  
3 Anchia; and

4           WHEREAS, Since joining the staff, Ms. Roberts has provided  
5 vital assistance in handling a wide variety of challenging tasks;  
6 in addition to gaining valuable experience in the field of public  
7 service, she has learned more about the legislative process and the  
8 issues facing citizens of the Lone Star State; passionate about  
9 good governance and progressive causes, she has worked on the  
10 budget, gun control legislation, and criminal justice issues; and

11           WHEREAS, Ms. Roberts holds a bachelor's degree from the  
12 University of Massachusetts Amherst; while an undergraduate, she  
13 cofounded the Massachusetts Political Review and served as an  
14 intern to the deputy director of operations in President Barack  
15 Obama's White House; she has also worked for Issue One as a senior  
16 associate for programs and communications; she currently attends  
17 The University of Texas at Austin, where she is working toward a  
18 master's degree in public affairs; and

19           WHEREAS, This outstanding young woman has performed her  
20 duties as a legislative aide with skill and dedication, and she is  
21 indeed deserving of special recognition for her fine work; now,  
22 therefore, be it

23           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas  
24 Legislature hereby commend Laurie Burnham Roberts for her service

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1 as a legislative aide in the office of State Representative Rafael  
2 Anchia and extend to her sincere best wishes for continued success  
3 in all her endeavors; and, be it further

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2081 was adopted by the House on May 25, 2017, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House