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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The NEW Leadership Texas Summer Institute is being
2 held at The University of Texas at Austin from June 1 to 6, 2017; and

3 WHEREAS, Hosted by the UT Center for Women's and Gender
4 Studies, NEW Leadership Texas is a nonpartisan residential program
5 that educates college women about politics and policy making and
6 encourages them to get involved in the political process; the
7 institute is part of the NEW Leadership National Network, a
8 partnership of colleges and universities from across the country
9 that is based at the Center for American Women and Politics at
10 Rutgers University; and

11 WHEREAS, NEW Leadership Texas has accepted 38 students for
12 the 2017 session: Jessica Hayden of Austin College; Cameron Young
13 of Austin Community College; Mallory Drake and Nicole Wang of
14 Baylor University; Ariana Hayaud-Din of Brookhaven College; Ruth
15 Pineda of Collin College; Briana Blueitt of Hofstra University;
16 Winifred Evans of Huston-Tillotson University; Margaret Turner of
17 Lamar University; Dorothy Williams of McMurry University; Neethi
18 Nayak of Rice University; Camille Smith of St. Edward's University;
19 Geovanie Ordoñez of St. Mary's University; Celeste Campbell,
20 Skylar Plummer, and Kat Ralph of Texas Woman's University; Tierney
21 Thomison of Trinity University; Sara Rehman and Areli Tamayo of the
22 University of Houston; Cheryl Curtis, Kelly Meier, and Sara Ray of
23 UH Clear Lake; Brittinee Robinson of UH Downtown; Leenolia Robinson
24 of the University of Mary Hardin-Baylor; Hannah Frosch of the

1 University of North Texas; Karen Carranza of The University of
2 Texas at Arlington; Megan Abrameit, Marina Cano, Anna Cherian, and
3 Dasia Warner of UT Austin; Madeleine Keith and Rebecca Reyes of UT
4 Dallas; Noelia Collins, Kenia Guerrero, and Raneem Karboji of UT El
5 Paso; Hope Lutteringer and Emily Pinal of UT Tyler; and Carolyn
6 García of UT Rio Grande Valley; and

7 WHEREAS, NEW Leadership Texas is an important initiative that
8 is helping to build the next generation of female leaders in the
9 Lone Star State and beyond, and it is sure to make a positive
10 difference in the lives of the students taking part in this highly
11 respected program; now, therefore, be it

12 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
13 Legislature hereby recognize the 2017 class of NEW Leadership Texas
14 and extend to its members sincere best wishes for a rewarding
15 experience; and, be it further

16 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
17 prepared for the group as an expression of high regard by the Texas
18 House of Representatives.