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## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Christine Reiser-Robbins has been presented with a
 2016-2017 Daniel E. Kilgore Local History Award by the Nueces
 County Historical Society; and

WHEREAS, Established in 2004, this accolade is annually bestowed on individuals who have rendered distinguished service in advancing the NCHS mission to promote and preserve the history of Nueces County and the Coastal Bend; and

8 WHEREAS, The late Dan Kilgore was regarded as one of the 9 state's foremost lay historians; in addition to amassing an 10 extensive personal collection of Texana, which he donated to Texas 11 A&M University--Corpus Christi, he authored numerous books, 12 newspaper articles, and reviews on the subject of South Texas 13 history and also spoke frequently on local history topics before 14 area groups; and

WHEREAS, A truly deserving recipient of this honor, Dr. Reiser-Robbins enjoys a rewarding career as an assistant professor of anthropology at Texas A&M University--Kingsville; in addition to fulfilling the duties of her busy professional life, she has given generously of her time and energies in behalf of NCHS and her community at large; and

21 WHEREAS, This notable Texan has demonstrated a profound 22 commitment to the stewardship of local history, and her 23 contributions will help current and future generations of Coastal 24 Bend residents to more fully understand and appreciate their rich

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1 heritage; now, therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas 3 Legislature hereby congratulate Christine Reiser-Robbins on her 4 receipt of a 2016-2017 Daniel E. Kilgore Local History Award from 5 the Nueces County Historical Society and extend to her sincere best 6 wishes for the future; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
prepared for Dr. Reiser-Robbins as an expression of high regard by
the Texas House of Representatives.