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R E S O L U T I O N

WHEREAS, Mateo Simpson has been named the 2019 Laredo Sector Youth of the Year by the U.S. Border Patrol; and

WHEREAS, A senior at United High School, Mr. Simpson has maintained a grade point average of 4.31 and is graduating in the top 10 percent of his class; during his high school career, he has been an active member of the National Honor Society, the youth group at St. Patrick Church, and the National Piano Guild, and he has competed with the football, basketball, track, and powerlifting teams; and

WHEREAS, This talented young Texan has benefited his community through service in a number of organizations, including the Health Occupations Students of America, Catholic Charities, and Relay for Life; he has earned the honor of gaining acceptance to three United States service academies: the U.S. Military Academy, Air Force Academy, and Naval Academy, the latter of which he plans to attend this fall; and

WHEREAS, Through hard work and dedication in all his endeavors, Mateo Simpson has built a strong foundation for continued achievement, and he is indeed deserving of this most recent accolade; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas Legislature hereby congratulate Mateo Simpson on his selection as the 2019 Laredo Sector Border Patrol Youth of the Year and extend to him sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

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