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H.R. No. 212

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Elizabeth Nyore demonstrated exceptional kindness
2 and compassion by coming to the aid of an injured Rowlett police
3 officer, Sergeant Greg Baldwin, in October 2018; and

4 WHEREAS, A 22-year veteran of law enforcement, Sergeant
5 Baldwin was engaged in a foot chase with a man with outstanding
6 warrants when he suffered a fall; the incident resulted in severe
7 leg and hip injuries that caused agonizing pain to the officer; and

8 WHEREAS, After hearing sirens and sounds of distress outside
9 of her home, Liz Nyore immediately rushed to Sergeant Baldwin's
10 side and did her best to comfort and calm the officer until
11 paramedics arrived on the scene; now recovering from his injury,
12 Sergeant Baldwin has returned to work in an administrative role for
13 the Rowlett Police Department, and he looks forward to getting back
14 on patrol as soon as possible; and

15 WHEREAS, Ms. Nyore, a Rowlett resident who proudly became a
16 United States citizen in 2012, went out of her way to assist the
17 officer, despite having preconceptions about law enforcement that
18 she carried over from her upbringing in Nigeria; she credits her
19 response on that day to the example of her mother, an orthopedic
20 nurse, from whom she learned the importance of helping strangers in
21 need; and

22 WHEREAS, Liz Nyore's act of good citizenship is a testament
23 to the invaluable role of caring members of the public in making our
24 communities stronger and safer, and she is indeed deserving of

1 special recognition; now, therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas
3 Legislature hereby commend Elizabeth Nyore for providing comfort to
4 an injured police officer and extend to her sincere best wishes for
5 the future; and, be it further

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