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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Kimberly Johnson, a mathematics teacher at Borger
- 2 High School in the Borger Independent School District, has been
- 3 named the 2019 Secondary Teacher of the Year by the Region 16
- 4 Education Service Center; and
- 5 WHEREAS, The winners of these prestigious annual awards are
- 6 first nominated for consideration by their fellow faculty members,
- 7 and those who are later chosen as district Teacher of the Year
- 8 become eligible for the regional honor; and
- 9 WHEREAS, In addition to her exemplary work in the classroom,
- 10 Ms. Johnson organized the first Borger High School Math Fair to
- 11 showcase students' skills and accomplishments in math, science, and
- 12 engineering; the event garnered participation from nearly 80
- 13 percent of the student body, and Ms. Johnson raised thousands of
- 14 dollars for prizes and drummed up overwhelming community support
- 15 from the fair's sponsors and attendees; moreover, she organized an
- 16 impressive panel of judges consisting of executives and engineers
- 17 from companies such as Solvay, Phillips 66, and CP Chem, and these
- 18 industry professionals provided important feedback to the students
- 19 on their projects; and
- 20 WHEREAS, Kimberly Johnson exemplifies the passion,
- 21 determination, and innovative spirit that are the hallmarks of our
- 22 best teachers, and she has set a standard of excellence to which all
- 23 in her profession may aspire; now, therefore, be it
- 24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas

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- 1 Legislature hereby congratulate Kimberly Johnson on her selection
- 2 as the 2019 Secondary Teacher of the Year by the Region 16 Education
- 3 Service Center and extend to her sincere best wishes for continued
- 4 success; and, be it further
- 5 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 6 prepared for Ms. Johnson as an expression of high regard by the
- 7 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 497 was adopted by the House on March 13, 2019, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House