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H.R. No. 1630

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Paula Jean Ard is retiring from the Weatherford  
2 Independent School District on May 21, 2019, after three and a half  
3 decades as an art teacher; and

4 WHEREAS, Ms. Ard first joined Weatherford ISD in 1984, when  
5 she accepted a job at Hall Middle School; she went on to work at  
6 Curtis Elementary School and Tison Middle School before becoming a  
7 member of the faculty at the Weatherford High School Ninth Grade  
8 Center; and

9 WHEREAS, Respected and admired by her peers, Ms. Ard has  
10 received numerous accolades in the course of her career, including  
11 four Teacher of the Year awards and recognition from the Texas Art  
12 Education Association; and

13 WHEREAS, A dedicated and inspiring educator, Paula Ard has  
14 worked to instill in her students a lifelong love of the arts, and  
15 she may indeed take pride in her invaluable contributions to  
16 Weatherford ISD as she embarks on the next exciting chapter of her  
17 life; now, therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas  
19 Legislature hereby congratulate Paula Jean Ard on her retirement  
20 from the Weatherford Independent School District and extend to her  
21 sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

22 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
23 prepared for Ms. Ard as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
24 House of Representatives.