

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, For the 15th consecutive year, the Katy Independent
2 School District has been designated one of the "Best Communities
3 for Music Education" by the National Association of Music Merchants
4 Foundation; and

5 WHEREAS, The designation is awarded to schools and school
6 districts that demonstrate an outstanding commitment to supporting
7 music education as part of their core curriculum; in 2019, the NAMM
8 Foundation recognized 623 school districts and 98 individual
9 schools across the country; and

10 WHEREAS, Katy ISD is fortunate to benefit from a staff of
11 exceptional fine arts educators; under the leadership of Mike
12 Ouellette, executive director of fine arts, the district is
13 dedicated to providing music access and education to its students;
14 the Best Communities designation is based on a number of factors,
15 including support and funding for music education, graduation
16 requirements, music class participation, facilities, and
17 instruction time; and

18 WHEREAS, Katy ISD has endeavored to create a learning
19 environment that nurtures the musical talent and creativity of its
20 students, and its consistent pursuit of excellence has deservedly
21 earned it recognition as a national model for music programs; now,
22 therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas
24 Legislature hereby congratulate the Katy Independent School

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1 District on being designated one of the "Best Communities for Music
2 Education" by the National Association of Music Merchants
3 Foundation in 2019 and extend to its music educators sincere best
4 wishes for continued success; and, be it further

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1846 was adopted by the House on May 24, 2019, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House