

By: White

H.R. No. 1877

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Saul Mendoza has ably served his fellow Texans as  
2 chief of staff in the office of State Representative James White  
3 during the 86th Legislature; and

4           WHEREAS, Since becoming a legislative employee, Mr. Mendoza  
5 has handled a wide variety of challenging tasks; he has provided  
6 vital leadership to Representative White's staff, overseeing the  
7 Capitol, district, and House Corrections Committee offices while  
8 also assisting with the member's legislative agenda and casework  
9 for constituents in Tyler, Jasper, Newton, Hardin, and Polk  
10 Counties; Mr. Mendoza worked for Representative White during three  
11 previous regular sessions of the legislature, beginning as an  
12 intern and aide during the 83rd Legislature and going on to become  
13 legislative and communications director for the 84th Legislature;  
14 during the 85th Legislature, he assumed his current role as the  
15 representative's chief of staff; and

16           WHEREAS, A native of Mexico, Mr. Mendoza moved to California  
17 with his family before they settled in Lufkin, where he graduated  
18 from high school magna cum laude in 2009; he studied Spanish  
19 literature at The University of Texas at Austin, and even before he  
20 graduated in 2012, he had already worked on the campaigns of  
21 Representative James White and U.S. Senator Ted Cruz and served in  
22 the office of Representative Jim Landtroop during the 82nd  
23 Legislature; in the years since, he has contributed his time and  
24 energy to FreedomWorks and the campaigns of State Senator Konni

1 Burton and Governor Greg Abbott; in 2014, he was proud to become a  
2 naturalized citizen of the United States; and

3 WHEREAS, This esteemed public employee has performed his  
4 duties as chief of staff with skill and dedication, and he is indeed  
5 deserving of special recognition for his fine work; now, therefore,  
6 be it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas  
8 Legislature hereby commend Saul Mendoza for his service as chief of  
9 staff for State Representative James White and extend to him  
10 sincere best wishes for continued success in all his endeavors;  
11 and, be it further

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