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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Reynol Mendoza, head coach of the Eagle Pass High

School baseball team, reached a significant career milestone when

3 he recorded his 300th win on April 5, 2019; and

4 WHEREAS, The memorable victory took place at Lyndon

5 B. Johnson High School in Laredo, with the Eagles triumphing by the

6 score of 14-2; Coach Mendoza now stands as the second-winningest

7 coach in the storied history of the Eagle Pass program; and

8 WHEREAS, A star high school athlete, Reynol Mendoza was a

9 three-time All-District selection at W. H. Taft in San Antonio and

10 the district Most Valuable Player at Eagle Pass; after graduating

11 from the University of the Incarnate Word, where he was twice named

12 an all-conference pitcher, he was chosen by the Florida Marlins in

13 the 1992 Major League Baseball Draft; he pitched in the minor

14 leagues from 1992 through 1998 and served as a pitching coach in the

15 Marlins' instructional league before becoming the Eagle Pass head

16 coach in 2004; and

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17 WHEREAS, Currently in his 16th year at the school, Coach

18 Mendoza has led the Eagles to the playoffs 13 times, and his 2013

19 and 2014 squads were especially notable, advancing to regional

20 finals after knocking off the state's second-ranked and top-ranked

21 teams, respectively; more than 20 of his players have gone on to

22 compete at the collegiate level, and he also helps his

23 student-athletes to excel off the field by stressing the value of

24 community service and helping them to prepare for the

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- 1 responsibilities of adulthood; and
- WHEREAS, In reaching the 300-win plateau, Reynol Mendoza has
- 3 furthered his legacy of success at Eagle Pass High School, and this
- 4 rare feat is indeed deserving of commendation; now, therefore, be
- 5 it
- 6 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas
- 7 Legislature hereby congratulate Eagle Pass High School baseball
- 8 coach Reynol Mendoza on his 300th career win and extend to him
- 9 sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further
- 10 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 11 prepared for Coach Mendoza as an expression of high regard by the
- 12 Texas House of Representatives.