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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Kathryn Wemer has been presented with a 2017-2018
2 Daniel E. Kilgore Local History Award by the Nueces County
3 Historical Society; and

4 WHEREAS, Established in 2004, this accolade is annually
5 bestowed on individuals who have rendered distinguished service in
6 advancing the NCHS mission to promote and preserve the history of
7 Nueces County and the Coastal Bend; the award is named in memory of
8 Daniel Kilgore, an influential lay historian, collector, and author
9 who passed away in 1995; and

10 WHEREAS, Ms. Wemer retired from the Corpus Christi
11 Independent School District after a career of more than 36 years as
12 an American and Texas history teacher, and she continues to work as
13 a substitute teacher; beyond the classroom, she serves as a docent
14 at the Centennial House, speaks about various history topics for
15 local organizations, and researches and coordinates the
16 dedications of Texas Historical Commission markers in Corpus
17 Christi and around Nueces County; she is currently the vice
18 president of the Nueces County Historical Society, a role that
19 involves overseeing the group's monthly programs; and

20 WHEREAS, This notable Texan has demonstrated a profound
21 commitment to the stewardship of local history, and her
22 contributions will help current and future generations of Coastal
23 Bend residents more fully understand and appreciate their rich
24 heritage; now, therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas
2 Legislature hereby congratulate Kathryn Wemer on her receipt of a
3 2017-2018 Daniel E. Kilgore Local History Award from the Nueces
4 County Historical Society and extend to her sincere best wishes for
5 the future; and, be it further

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