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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Ava Barton of the Girl Scouts of San Jacinto Troop
No. 4189 has planned and implemented a project entitled "Honor the
Flag" for the Girl Scout Silver Award; and

WHEREAS, A resident of Lumberton, Ms. Barton initiated the 4 5 project to help provide her community with a designated place for people to take damaged flags for proper disposal; this notable 6 7 endeavor involved repurposing a stainless-steel box that was once used for library book returns; after cleaning and repairing damages 8 9 to the receptacle, Ms. Barton painted the box with an original design that features state and national symbols such as the Texas 10 11 and U.S. flags, an armadillo, and a bald eagle, as well as the image 12 of an American soldier; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Barton is the daughter of Myia and David Barton; a student at Lumberton Middle School, she has participated in Girl Scouts since the first grade; she also enjoys taking tae kwon do classes, and she is a member of Praise Church in Beaumont; and

WHEREAS, The leadership and dedication that Ava Barton has demonstrated in completing her project exemplify the highest ideals of the Girl Scouts organization, and she may indeed reflect with pride on a job well done; now, therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas 22 Legislature hereby commend Ava Barton on her "Honor the Flag" 23 project and extend to her sincere best wishes for the future; and, 24 be it further

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 240 was adopted by the House on March 18, 2021, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House