WHEREAS, Since the beginning of the COVID-19 outbreak, the
Tornillo Independent School District Board of Trustees has worked
tirelessly to foster a suitable learning environment and ensure the
health and well-being of area students; and

WHEREAS, The alarming scale of the pandemic has forced the
school district to adapt to rapidly changing circumstances over the
past year, including the closure of campuses, the introduction of
remote learning, and the implementation of safety protocols upon
reopening; tasked with setting policy and overseeing the operation
of school facilities, the Tornillo ISD school board has carefully
considered public health guidelines while working with
administrators, educators, and parents to determine the most
efficient way for students to return to class; and

WHEREAS, The dedicated individuals presently serving on the
Tornillo ISD Board of Trustees are president Marlene Bullard, vice
president Ida Estrada, and members Ofelia Bosquez, Daniel Dozal,
Hector Lopez, Maria "Kika" Saldaña, and Enrique Vega; the district
also benefits from the able guidance of superintendent Rosy
Vega-Barrio; and

WHEREAS, Although COVID-19 has placed immense burdens on
schools across the country, the Tornillo ISD Board of Trustees has
risen to this unprecedented challenge, and its members are indeed
deserving of special recognition for their efforts; now, therefore,
RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas Legislature hereby honor the Tornillo Independent School District Board of Trustees for its leadership during the COVID-19 pandemic and extend to its members sincere appreciation for their important work; and, be it further

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

González of El Paso
Fierro
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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 701 was adopted by the House on April 23, 2021, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House