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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Since the beginning of the COVID-19 outbreak, the 2 Fabens Independent School District Board of Trustees has worked 3 tirelessly to foster a suitable learning environment and ensure the 4 health and well-being of area students; and

5 WHEREAS, The alarming scale of the pandemic has forced the school district to adapt to rapidly changing circumstances over the 6 7 past year, including the closure of campuses, the introduction of remote learning, and the implementation of safety protocols upon 8 9 reopening; tasked with setting policy and overseeing the operation of school facilities, the Fabens ISD school board has carefully 10 11 considered public health guidelines while working with 12 administrators, educators, and parents to determine the most efficient way for students to return to class; and 13

WHEREAS, The dedicated individuals presently serving on the Fabens ISD Board of Trustees are president Rey Sepulveda, vice president Benjamin Morales, secretary Sylvia Gonzales, and members Orlando "O.O." Flores, Greg Spence, Adan Escobar, and Rosamaria Gallo-Avitia; the district also benefits from the able guidance of superintendent Dr. Veronica Vijil; and

20 WHEREAS, Although COVID-19 has placed immense burdens on 21 schools across the country, the Fabens ISD Board of Trustees has 22 risen to this unprecedented challenge, and its members are indeed 23 deserving of special recognition for their efforts; now, therefore, 24 be it

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1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas 2 Legislature hereby honor the Fabens Independent School District 3 Board of Trustees for its leadership during the COVID-19 pandemic 4 and extend to its members sincere appreciation for their important 5 work; and, be it further

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

> González of El Paso Fierro Moody Ordaz Perez

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 702 was adopted by the House on April 23, 2021, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House