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H.R. No. 815

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The Ferris Independent School District is making a  
2 positive difference in the local community by providing area youth  
3 with a solid educational foundation on which to build; and

4           WHEREAS, Serving approximately 2,700 students, Ferris ISD  
5 seeks to foster a challenging and supportive learning environment  
6 where young people are equipped to excel in every aspect of their  
7 education; a rural district in northern Ellis County, it conducts  
8 classes for prekindergarten through the 12th grade at its five  
9 campuses; with an average teacher-to-student ratio of one to 18,  
10 schools in the district are able to focus on individual needs and  
11 provide the skills students need to be competitive in the  
12 21st century workforce; and

13           WHEREAS, Ferris ISD is ably guided by superintendent James  
14 Hartman, and it also benefits from the leadership of its board of  
15 trustees, which includes president Rico Rodriguez, vice president  
16 Richard Sasser, secretary Lee Longino, and members Mike Moffitt,  
17 Nancy Jane Salmon, and Nick Hamm; and

18           WHEREAS, The administrators, teachers, staff, and school  
19 board of Ferris ISD have helped to provide many young Texans with  
20 the knowledge and skills they need to become productive members of  
21 society, and the district is indeed deserving of special  
22 recognition for its significant contributions; now, therefore, be  
23 it

24           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas

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1 Legislature hereby honor the Ferris Independent School District for  
2 its service to area youth and extend to all those associated with  
3 the district sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

4       RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
5 prepared for Ferris ISD as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
6 House of Representatives.