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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, An exemplary student received well-deserved
2 recognition when Sabrina Bustillos was named a University of Texas
3 at El Paso Top Ten Senior for 2021; and

4 WHEREAS, Presented by the UTEP Alumni Association, the award
5 recognizes the university's most promising graduating or recently
6 graduated seniors; honorees are chosen on the basis of multiple
7 criteria, including academic achievement, involvement, leadership,
8 and service, both in the community and on campus; and

9 WHEREAS, Sabrina Bustillos is currently pursuing a degree in
10 communication studies from the UTEP College of Liberal Arts; she is
11 passionate about politics and activism, and after graduating, she
12 plans to work in behalf of progressive candidates for public office
13 and to eventually lead a statewide nonprofit that is focused on
14 serving low-income communities; and

15 WHEREAS, While excelling in her studies, Ms. Bustillos has
16 maintained a busy schedule of extracurricular activities, which has
17 included serving as debate captain for UTEP Forensics, as president
18 of the Pi Kappa Delta honor society, as director of sisterhood for
19 the Zeta Tau Alpha fraternity, and as founder and president of her
20 local Texas Rising chapter; moreover, she has held membership in
21 both the College Democrats association and Frontera Folx, and she
22 has benefited the Student Government Association in the roles of
23 senator-at-large/majority leader, house representative, and
24 legislative assistant; among her proudest accomplishments, she was

1 one of 48 Texas students to be selected to participate in the Bill
2 Archer Fellowship in Washington, D.C.; and

3 WHEREAS, Through the dedication she has demonstrated in all
4 her endeavors, Sabrina Bustillos has built a strong foundation for
5 continued achievement, and she is indeed deserving of this
6 prestigious accolade; now, therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas
8 Legislature hereby congratulate Sabrina Bustillos on her receipt of
9 a 2021 Top Ten Seniors Award from the UTEP Alumni Association and
10 extend to her sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

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