

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Youth Revive in Dallas is dedicated to providing
2 access to civic education to students in low-income communities;
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4 WHEREAS, Founded in 2013, Youth Revive strives to close the
5 "civic empowerment gap," or the disparity in community engagement
6 between students from different socioeconomic backgrounds; during
7 the 2019 to 2020 school year, there were more than 270 participants
8 in the organization's programs, which teach students a number of
9 valuable skills, such as networking, conflict resolution, and
10 public speaking; and

11 WHEREAS, Adrian McConnell, the executive director of Youth
12 Revive, launched the Ignite Me Action Civics curriculum in 2015 to
13 provide character and civic education in schools; a semester-long
14 program, Ignite Me culminates in C.A.P. Day, when students present
15 their action projects to offer solutions to real issues affecting
16 their communities; in addition, Youth Revive offers further
17 opportunities for civic education through its Citizen Redefined and
18 Civic Saturday programs; and

19 WHEREAS, With the goal of inspiring young people from
20 underprivileged backgrounds to engage in their communities, Youth
21 Revive has helped to change countless lives for the better, and all
22 those associated with this outstanding organization are indeed
23 deserving of special recognition for their contributions; now,
24 therefore, be it

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1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas
2 Legislature hereby honor Youth Revive for its work to provide civic
3 education to students in low-income communities and extend to the
4 organization and its participants sincere best wishes for the
5 future; and, be it further

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1429 was adopted by the House on May 26, 2021, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House