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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Bubba Fife, a retired coach and assistant athletic 2 director in the Katy Independent School District, was recognized 3 with the Be Great Award by the GoBeGreat Foundation on April 15, 4 2021; and

5 WHEREAS, The Be Great Award celebrates individuals who have 6 overcome adversity and who have shared their talents and gifts to 7 make a difference in the lives of others; those associated with the 8 nonprofit GoBeGreat Foundation group have contributed their time 9 and resources to a variety of charitable causes all over the 10 country; and

11 WHEREAS, Bubba Fife first began coaching for the Irving 12 Independent School District in 1964; he was hired as the head football coach and athletic coordinator for James E. Taylor High 13 14 School in 1987, marking the start of his long and highly successful affiliation with Katy ISD; he remained there for 12 years, before 15 taking on a new position as the assistant director of athletics for 16 Katy High School; his retirement in 2009 capped an impressive 17 career that spanned 45 years, including 35 years as a coach; and 18

WHEREAS, Coach Fife was inducted into the Texas High School Athletic Directors Association Hall of Honor in 2009; he was also recognized with the Distinguished Service Award from the Greater Houston Football Association that same year, and in 2020 he earned a place in the Katy ISD Athletic Hall of Honor; and

24 WHEREAS, Through his outstanding commitment to his

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1 profession, Bubba Fife has had a positive influence on countless
2 young athletes, and he may indeed reflect with pride on his receipt
3 of this well-deserved accolade; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas
Legislature hereby congratulate Bubba Fife on his receipt of the Be
Great Award by the GoBeGreat Foundation and extend to him sincere
best wishes for the future; and, be it further

8 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 9 prepared for Coach Fife as an expression of high regard by the Texas 10 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1482 was adopted by the House on May 29, 2021, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House