RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, A group of 11 dedicated students from The University 2 of Texas Rio Grande Valley have rendered outstanding service to the

Texas Legislature during the 87th Session as participants in the

4 Rio Grande Valley Legislative Internship Program; and

5 WHEREAS, This initiative offers students at the university an

6 opportunity to learn about the legislative process and to gain

7 valuable experience while putting their skills and knowledge to

8 work; and

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9 WHEREAS, Each participant is placed with a legislative office

10 and is immersed in an environment that combines academic rigor with

11 real-world responsibility; individuals selected for this

prestigious program work full-time during the session and must also

13 complete two political science courses for academic credit; and

WHEREAS, This year's class of interns includes Roy Cantu, who

15 is working in the office of Senator José Menéndez, Alan Garcia in

16 the office of Representative Sergio Muñoz Jr., Hugo Garcia in the

office of Representative Armando Martinez, Christopher Lira in the

office of Representative Eddie Lucio III, Zitlalit Melgarejo in the

19 office of Representative Ryan Guillen, Julian Ramirez in the office

20 of Representative Bobby Guerra, Angela Ricalday in the office of

21 Representative Oscar Longoria, Gilbert Rodriguez Jr. in the office

22 of Senator Eddie Lucio Jr., Angelika Ruiz-Gualberto in the office

23 of Representative Terry Canales, Alexandra Smith-Macias in the

24 office of Senator Chuy Hinojosa, and Jenifer Velazquez in the

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- 1 office of Senator Judith Zaffirini; and
- 2 WHEREAS, The members of this notable group have performed
- 3 their duties as legislative interns with great skill and diligence,
- 4 and they are indeed deserving of special recognition for their fine
- 5 work; now, therefore, be it
- 6 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas
- 7 Legislature hereby commend the participants in the Rio Grande
- 8 Valley Legislative Internship Program for their contributions to
- 9 the Texas Legislature and extend to them sincere best wishes for
- 10 continued success in all their endeavors; and, be it further
- 11 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 12 prepared for the interns as an expression of high regard by the
- 13 Texas House of Representatives.

Canales Martinez Muñoz, Jr. Guerra Guillen Lucio III Dominguez Longoria

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1772 was adopted by the House on May 29, 2021, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House