

By: Craddick

H.C.R. No. 19

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1           WHEREAS, The Anwar family was honored at the annual West  
2 Texan by Nature event hosted by the Sibley Nature Center in Midland  
3 on September 21, 2023; and

4           WHEREAS, The Sibley Nature Center celebrates the natural  
5 history of West Texas at a 49-acre site in Hogan Park in Midland;  
6 the center presented the Anwar family with its West Texan by Nature  
7 award in recognition of the family's wide-ranging contributions to  
8 the community; and

9           WHEREAS, Born in Karachi, Pakistan, Javaid Anwar immigrated  
10 to the United States after high school and earned a degree in  
11 petroleum engineering from the University of Wyoming; he has spent  
12 nearly four decades in the oil and gas industry in Texas, and over  
13 the course of his career, he has founded several oil and gas  
14 exploration companies, started his own oil drilling business, and  
15 accumulated various oil leases in the Permian Basin; today, he  
16 serves as the owner and president of Midland Energy, Petroplex  
17 Energy, and the Western T. Corporation; and

18           WHEREAS, In all his endeavors, Mr. Anwar has benefited from  
19 the love and encouragement of his wife, Vicky, and the couple's two  
20 children, Ryan and Leslie, have both grown up to work in the family  
21 business; through the years, the Anwars have given of their time and  
22 resources to support the oil and gas industry as well as the wider  
23 community, and they have donated generously to numerous public  
24 universities and charities; and

1           WHEREAS, The members of the Anwar family have proven  
2 themselves to be business and civic leaders of great vision and  
3 ability, and they may indeed reflect with pride on this prestigious  
4 recognition of their years of dedicated service to the community;  
5 now, therefore, be it

6           RESOLVED, That the 88th Legislature of the State of Texas,  
7 3rd Called Session, hereby congratulate the Anwar family on  
8 receiving the West Texan by Nature award from the Sibley Nature  
9 Center and extend to the members of the family sincere best wishes  
10 for continued success; and, be it further

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