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S.R. No. 539

SENATE RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Ashley Harris-Land, who was recently honored with the 2024 AmeriCorps Legacy of Service Award; and

WHEREAS, This prestigious accolade highlights the exemplary achievements of AmeriCorps alumni who have gone above and beyond the scope of their service requirements in addressing the nation's most pressing challenges; this honor was conferred upon her at the 41st Annual Governor Volunteer Awards, which took place on April 23, 2025; and

WHEREAS, Ashley Harris-Land currently serves as an AmeriCorps program director, and she began her AmeriCorps commitment at Legacy Community Health in 2018 as a full-time member; she distinguished herself for professional excellence by assisting the center in modernizing its curriculum and coordinating its prenatal education opportunities; while serving in this capacity, she earned certification as a child passenger safety technician; and

WHEREAS, During her tenure as program director, Ashley expanded the Legacy Community Health program to include more than 70 AmeriCorps members; she has helped guide the program's technology transitions, COVID-19 response efforts, and major fund-raising events, and she continues to volunteer her time with Connect Community and as a speaker at AmeriCorps events; and

WHEREAS, An exemplary public servant, Ashley models the highest ideals of AmeriCorps and inspires countless volunteers by unselfishly donating her time to help her community and by inspiring other AmeriCorps members to continue on their journeys with the organization; it is indeed fitting that she receive special recognition for her generous volunteerism and for her efforts to improve health outcomes and service opportunities in the Lone Star State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 89th Legislature, hereby commend Ashley Harris-Land on her outstanding service with AmeriCorps and extend to her congratulations on receiving an AmeriCorps Legacy of Service Award and best wishes for the future; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for her as an expression of esteem from the Texas Senate.