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PROCEEDINGS

SEVENTY-SECOND DAY (CONTINUED) — FRIDAY, MAY 20, 2005

The house met at 9 a.m. and was called to order by the speaker.

The roll of the house was called and a quorum was announced present (Record 726).

Present — Mr. Speaker; Allen, A.; Allen, R.; Alonzo; Anchia; Anderson; Bailey; Baxter; Berman; Blake; Bohac; Bonnen; Branch; Brown, B.; Brown, F.; Burnam; Callegari; Campbell; Casteel; Castro; Chavez; Chisum; Coleman; Cook, B.; Cook, R.; Corte; Crabb; Crownover; Davis, J.; Davis, Y.; Dawson; Delisi; Denny; Deshotel; Driver; Dukes; Dunnam; Dutton; Edwards; Eiland; Eissler; Elkins; Escobar; Farabee; Farrar; Flores; Flynn; Frost; Gallego; Gattis; Geren; Giddings; Gonzales; Gonzalez Toureilles; Goodman; Goolsby; Griggs; Grusendorf; Guillen; Haggerty; Hamilton; Hamric; Hardcastle; Harper-Brown; Hartnett; Hegar; Herrero; Hilderbran; Hill; Hochberg; Homer; Hope; Hopson; Howard; Hughes; Hunter; Hupp; Isett; Jackson; Jones, D.; Jones, J.; Keel; Keffer, B.; Keffer, J.; King, P.; King, T.; Kolkhorst; Krusee; Kuempel; Laney; Laubenberg; Leibowitz; Madden; Martinez; Martinez Fischer; McCall; McClendon; McReynolds; Menendez; Merritt; Miller; Moreno, P.; Morrison; Mowery; Naishtat; Nixon; Noriega, M.; Oliveira; Olivo; Orr; Otto; Paxton; Peña; Phillips; Pickett; Puente; Quintanilla; Raymond; Reyna; Riddle; Ritter; Rodriguez; Rose; Seaman; Smith, T.; Smith, W.; Smithee; Solis; Solomons; Strama; Straus; Swinford; Talton; Taylor; Thompson; Truitt; Turner; Uresti; Van Arsdale; Veasey; Villarreal; Vo; West; Wong; Woolley; Zedler.

Absent, Excused — Hodge, Luna.

Absent, Excused, Committee Meeting — Pitts.

(Bonnen in the chair)

The invocation was offered by Reverend Patrick Payton, senior pastor, Stonegate Fellowship Church, Midland, as follows:

Heavenly Father, I humbly beseech your ear this Friday morning recognizing that according to Psalm 116 you say that you incline your ear to those that call upon you. We recognize that for you to incline your majestic ear makes this place holy and hallowed ground, not because of the history and grandeur of this majestic hall, but due to the fact that your are the one and only holy and matchless creator and king of the universe and all that it contains. Indeed your presence changes our reality.

This morning we remind ourselves that the word of God informs us that these men and women gathered in this great hall today stand here because you have ordained it; they may have sought office but it is you that establishes leadership. The apostle Paul tells us in the book of Romans that these men and women are established by you and minister for you in their places of authority. I ask, in and by the matchless name of Jesus, that these men and women serve in light of the high calling and purpose of God on their lives.

As the business of the great State of Texas is carried out this day, may these leaders remember their charge, also given to us by your word, the Holy Scriptures. We have been told by the prophet Micah that we are to seek justice. May this great body of leaders ordained by you do all that is in their power to protect, defend, and provide for all that is just. May they never waver in calling that which is evil—evil, and that which is good—good. May they defend the justice due to those who expect it and those who do not, and may they fight for justice for those yet to be born, those closest to death's door, and all categories in between.

May this great body of leaders also seek from your hand the gift of wisdom as spoken of by the writers of both Proverbs and the book of James. May these leaders remember that the beginning of wisdom and understanding is the fear of the Lord. May they remember that you told us through your word that if we would ask for wisdom and not doubt, you promise to give liberally. May the proceedings of this body take place with the gift of Godly wisdom and understanding.

Finally, as we draw our words to you into conclusion we thank you for the greatest act of grace, love, and justice known to man. We thank you that even though the Bible informs us that all men have sinned and fallen short of the glory of God and are doomed to eternal separation from you because of sin, that you were and are gracious, loving, and just and provided for our rescue. We thank you that you loved us so much that you gave your only son, Jesus, to die on a cross, then to be buried only then to be resurrected so that those who believe in the Lord, Jesus Christ, and confess him as Lord and Savior may not perish but have eternal life. For you have said in your word, "This is life . . . that men might know Jesus."

Heavenly Father, in all that is done this day and all that is said may we remember that what we do for our fellow Texans, or any other member of this great state and or union of states, is to be in accordance with your command to love and care for one another and in accordance with your calling on the lives of these leaders. Nevertheless, may this great body of leaders always remember that what is done for eternity is what will last, indeed that which affects and changes the souls of men and women. We ask all of these things in and by the only name given by God under heaven by which men and women must be saved, the only name of Jesus. Amen.

The speaker led the house in the pledges of allegiance to the United States and Texas flags.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following member was granted leave of absence for today because of appropriations business:

Pitts on motion of Homer.

The following member was granted leave of absence for today because of a death in the family:

Luna on motion of Phillips.

CAPITOL PHYSICIAN

The chair recognized Representative Straus who presented Dr. Miguel Vazquez of San Antonio as the "Doctor for the Day."

The house welcomed Dr. Vazquez and thanked him for his participation in the Physician of the Day Program sponsored by the Texas Academy of Family Physicians.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the senate was received at this time (see the addendum to the daily journal, Messages from the Senate, Message No. 1).

HR 1634 - ADOPTED (by Elkins)

Representative Elkins moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 1634**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 1634, Congratulating Chris Daniel on his graduation from The University of Texas at Austin.

HR 1634 was read and was adopted.

On motion of Representative P. King, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 1634** as signers thereof.

HR 1809 - ADOPTED (by McClendon)

Representative McClendon moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 1809**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 1809, Recognizing the McClendon Legislative Service Scholars Program interns of the 79th Texas Legislature.

HR 1809 was read and was adopted.

On motion of Representative McReynolds, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 1809** as signers thereof.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

The chair recognized Representative McClendon who introduced participants of the McClendon Legislative Service Scholars Program.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following member was granted leave of absence for the remainder of today because of illness in the family:

Hamilton on motion of Hegar.

HR 1879 - ADOPTED (by Riddle)

Representative Riddle moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 1879**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 1879, Honoring Lieutenant General Norton A. Schwartz, director of the Joint Staff at the Pentagon, for his outstanding service to this country and welcoming him to the Lone Star State.

HR 1879 was adopted.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following member was granted leave of absence for the remainder of today because of important business in the district:

M. Noriega on motion of J. Davis.

HR 1580 - ADOPTED (by Phillips)

Representative Phillips moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 1580**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 1580, Recognizing the establishment of the Austin College Leadership Award.

HR 1580 was read and was adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF GUEST

The chair recognized Representative Phillips who introduced Dr. Oscar Page.

(Keel in the chair)

HR 1847 - ADOPTED (by Veasey)

Representative Veasey moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 1847**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 1847, Honoring Jeffre Ward Rotkoff on his 26th birthday.

HR 1847 was adopted.

HR 1649 - READ (by Bonnen)

The chair laid out and had read the following previously adopted resolution:

HR 1649, Honoring the children of O. M. Roberts Elementary School in Lake Jackson for their outstanding tsunami-relief effort.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

The chair recognized Representative Bonnen who introduced students of O. M. Roberts Elementary School.

HR 1595 - ADOPTED (by Castro)

Representative Castro moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time HR 1595.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 1595, Honoring Brandon and Cassie Denson of San Antonio for their heroism.

HR 1595 was read and was adopted.

HR 1883 - ADOPTED (by Puente)

Representative Puente moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 1883**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 1883, Congratulating Jean Dale Manes of San Antonio on the occasion of her 85th birthday.

HR 1883 was adopted.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED

Representative Riddle moved to suspend all necessary rules in order to take up and consider at this time **HR 1704 - HR 1710** and **HR 1764**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolutions were laid before the house:

HR 1704 (by Riddle), Honoring Jennifer Fuller for her outstanding service as a legislative intern in the office of State Representative Debbie Riddle.

- **HR 1705** (by Riddle), Honoring Matthew McRoberts for his outstanding service as a legislative intern in the office of State Representative Debbie Riddle.
- **HR 1706** (by Riddle), Honoring Lauren Williams for her outstanding service as a legislative intern in the office of State Representative Debbie Riddle.
- **HR 1707** (by Riddle), Honoring Lauren Madera for her outstanding service as a legislative intern in the office of State Representative Debbie Riddle.
- **HR 1708** (by Riddle), Honoring Travis Horne for his outstanding service as a legislative intern in the office of State Representative Debbie Riddle.
- **HR 1709** (by Riddle), Honoring Maria Aldeguer for her outstanding service as a legislative assistant in the office of State Representative Debbie Riddle.
- **HR 1710** (by Riddle), Honoring Kristen Blank for her outstanding service as a legislative assistant in the office of State Representative Debbie Riddle.
- **HR 1764** (by Riddle), Honoring Leslie Gray for her outstanding service as a legislative intern in the office of State Representative Debbie Riddle.

The resolutions were adopted.

(Edwards in the chair)

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED

Representative Dunnam moved to suspend all necessary rules in order to take up and consider at this time HR 1662 - HR 1698, HR 1719 - HR 1721, and HR 1876.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolutions were laid before the house:

- **HR 1662** (by Dunnam), Commending Valerie Simpson for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative Todd Smith.
- **HR 1663** (by Dunnam), Commending Anthony Stewart for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of Senator Leticia Van de Putte.
- **HR 1664** (by Dunnam), Commending Kevin Vickers for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative Jim Dunnam.
- **HR 1665** (by Dunnam), Commending English Pratts for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative Vicki Truitt.
- **HR 1666** (by Dunnam), Commending Monica Ramasehla for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of Senator Royce West.
- **HR 1667** (by Dunnam), Commending Nicholas Reed for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative Vilma Luna.
- **HR 1668** (by Dunnam), Commending Hamilton Rucker for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative Joe Deshotel.
- **HR 1669** (by Dunnam), Commending Geneza Simoes for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of Senator Rodney Ellis.

- **HR 1670** (by Dunnam), Commending Rebecca Walton for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of Senator Rodney Ellis.
- **HR 1671** (by Dunnam), Commending Orianna Diaz for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of Senator Rodney Ellis.
- **HR 1672** (by Dunnam), Commending Courtney White for outstanding service as a legislative intern with Texas Monthly Magazine.
- **HR 1673** (by Dunnam), Commending Bobby Ray Williams for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative Mark Strama.
- **HR 1674** (by Dunnam), Commending Jarrett Leland for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of Senator Rodney Ellis.
- **HR 1675** (by Dunnam), Commending Candice Smith for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of Senator Robert Duncan.
- **HR 1676** (by Dunnam), Commending Henal Patel for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative Scott Hochberg.
- **HR 1677** (by Dunnam), Commending Ephraim Ngoasheng for outstanding service as a legislative intern with People for the American Way.
- **HR 1678** (by Dunnam), Commending Simeon Popoff for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of Senator Rodney Ellis.
- **HR 1679** (by Dunnam), Commending Nicholas Ngcobo for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative Jesse Jones.
- **HR 1680** (by Dunnam), Commending Amy-Kristen Jones for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative Marc Veasey.
- **HR 1681** (by Dunnam), Commending Darrell Jordan, Jr., for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative Hubert Vo.
- **HR 1682** (by Dunnam), Commending Emily King for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of Senator Kyle Janek.
- **HR 1683** (by Dunnam), Commending Hendrik Maison for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of Senator Rodney Ellis.
- **HR 1684** (by Dunnam), Commending Vanessa McMahan for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of Senator Rodney Ellis.
- **HR 1685** (by Dunnam), Commending Shannon Garth-Rhodes for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative Allan Ritter.
- **HR 1686** (by Dunnam), Commending Kelechi Meremikwu for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of the late State Representative Joe E. Moreno.
- **HR 1687** (by Dunnam), Commending Xolisile Moloi for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative Helen Giddings.

- **HR 1688** (by Dunnam), Commending Gulani Moeti for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative Terri Hodge.
- **HR 1689** (by Dunnam), Commending Shelley Morrison for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of Senator Rodney Ellis.
- **HR 1690** (by Dunnam), Commending Patrick Embry for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative Garnet Coleman.
- **HR 1691** (by Dunnam), Commending Carlos Doroteo for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of Acting State Representative Melissa Noriega.
- **HR 1692** (by Dunnam), Commending Melissa Duncan for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative Craig Eiland.
- **HR 1693** (by Dunnam), Commending Dolly Marchena for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative Yvonne Gonzalez Toureilles.
- **HR 1694** (by Dunnam), Honoring John Guess IV for his outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative Sylvester Turner.
- **HR 1695** (by Dunnam), Commending Keith Brooks for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative Chuck Hopson.
- **HR 1696** (by Dunnam), Commending Melisha Craft for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative Yvonne Davis.
- **HR 1697** (by Dunnam), Commending Derrick Davis for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative Jose Menendez.
- **HR 1698** (by Dunnam), Commending Mary Dean for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative Alma Allen.
- **HR 1719** (by Dunnam), Commending Akilah Mance for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative David Farabee.
- **HR 1720** (by Dunnam), Commending Christopher Smith for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of Senator Rodney Ellis.
- **HR 1721** (by Dunnam), Commending Nikki Starr for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative Dawnna Dukes.
- **HR 1876** (by Dunnam), Commending Terry James for outstanding service as a legislative intern with the office of State Representative Rafael Anchia.

The resolutions were adopted.

MOTION TO ADD NAMES

On motion of Representative Hochberg, the names of all the members of the house were added to HR 1662 - HR 1698, HR 1719 - HR 1721, and HR 1876 as signers thereof.

SB 533 - RECOMMITTED

Representative P. King moved to recommit **SB 533** to the Committee on Regulated Industries.

The motion prevailed.

CONGRATULATORY AND MEMORIAL CALENDAR

The following congratulatory resolutions were laid before the house:

- **HR 1485** (by Hilderbran), Honoring Harley Steele of San Antonio for her perseverance in her efforts to attend the presidential inauguration in Washington, D.C., in January 2005.
- **HR 1487** (by Hilderbran), Honoring the members of the D. P. Smith family of Llano for their contributions to the cattle industry.
- **HR 1489** (by Herrero), Congratulating the Texas A&M University–Corpus Christi Islander Democrats on receiving the school's Student Affairs' Organization of the Year Award in 2005.
- **HR 1493** (by McCall), Recognizing Schimelpfenig Middle School in Plano on the 25th anniversary of its founding.
- **HR 1494** (by McCall), Congratulating Nikhil Koganti on winning the 47th annual The Dallas Morning News Regional Spelling Bee.
- **HR 1495** (by McCall), Congratulating Matt Ockwood on being named corps commander at Texas A&M University.
- **HR 1496** (by McCall), Recognizing the dedication of the Allan K. and Carolyn H. Bird Education Center in Plano.
- **HR 1497** (by McCall), Honoring Erin Bedell of Plano West High School for her participation in the 33rd Annual IAAF World Cross Country Championships.
- **HR 1503** (by Hamilton), Honoring R. D. "Bo" Welborn on his selection as president of the State Firemen's and Fire Marshals' Association of Texas.
- **HR 1504** (by Hamilton), Honoring Ashley Watson of Vidor High School for her exceptional performance at the Texas High School Women's Powerlifting Association state championships in Killeen.
- **HR 1506** (by Casteel), Honoring Texas Air National Guard Major Scott Galliardt of Boerne for his service to his country and for his contributions in behalf of his fellow soldiers.
- **HR 1507** (by P. King), Commending Dr. Tom Annunziato for his exceptional service as an optometrist and a community leader.
- **HR 1508** (by Wong), Commending all associated with the celebration of "A Mosaic of Israeli Music" hosted by the Consul General of Israel to the Southwest on the occasion of the 57th anniversary of Israel's independence.
- **HR 1512** (by Bailey), Commending Aditi Sheth on her service as an intern on the staff of State Representative Kevin Bailey.

- **HR 1513** (by Dunnam), Honoring Texas State Technical College on the occasion of its 40th anniversary.
- **HR 1518** (by Flynn), Honoring Dr. Ben Bratcher, Truman Oakley, Pat May, Monte Clearman, Craig Ham, Matthew Daniel, and Cary Chastain for their efforts to help prevent the spread of AIDS in Swaziland.
- **HR 1521** (by Hughes), Congratulating Wayland Sessions, Sr., and Betty Hendrix Sessions of Quitman on their 50th wedding anniversary.
- **HR 1522** (by Hughes), Honoring Paul and Betty Bozeman of Quitman on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary.
- **HR 1523** (by Hughes), Honoring Winona McQuaid of Hawkins on her 100th birthday.
- **HR 1524** (by Hughes), Honoring Roosevelt and Thelma Triplett of Quitman on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary.
- **HR 1525** (by Hughes), Congratulating Justin Lookadoo of Mineola on his accomplishments as a motivational speaker and author.
- **HR 1526** (by Hunter), Congratulating Angela and Jason Hindman on the birth of their daughter, Helen Noel Hindman.
- **HR 1528** (by Goolsby), Honoring Jim Lehrer for his outstanding career as a television news anchor and writer.
 - HR 1529 was previously adopted.
- **HR 1535** (by Madden, Denny, Krusee, and Turner), Recognizing Southwestern University's Texas Legislative Politics Internship Program on its 40th anniversary and commending the 2005 student interns.
- **HR 1536** (by Escobar), Honoring Dr. John Phillip Toelkes, veterinarian of the King Ranch, on his professional accomplishments.
- **HR 1537** (by Paxton), Honoring the first graduating class of the Youth Leadership Frisco training program.
- **HR 1538** (by Paxton), Commending the students, staff, and faculty of Story Elementary School in Allen for their efforts in behalf of the Liebo family.
- **HR 1539** (by Paxton), Congratulating the McKinney High School girls' soccer team for winning the 2005 Class 4A state championship.
- **HR 1540** (by Paxton), Honoring Citizenship McKinney, McKinney Youth Leadership, and Northern Collin County Leadership for their contributions to the residents of North Texas.
- **HR 1541** (by Paxton), Honoring Todd Hamilton of McKinney for winning the 2004 British Open.
- **HR 1544** (by Dunnam), Congratulating Frank Dickson of Waco on his 2005 induction into the Texas High School Football Hall of Fame.
- **HR 1546** (by Hughes), Honoring Ray Lawson on being named Marshall's 2004 Outstanding Citizen.

- **HR 1547** (by Hughes), Honoring Mineola for its designation as a Preserve America community.
- **HR 1548** (by McClendon), Congratulating Chase Cannon of San Antonio on his receipt of the Best of Texas Award from the Texas Career and Technology Council.
- **HR 1549** (by McClendon), Congratulating Betzaida Morales of San Antonio on her receipt of the Best of Texas Award from the Texas Career and Technology Council.
- **HR 1552** (by Bailey), Honoring Atma Kabad of Houston for his work as a legislative intern for State Representative Kevin Bailey.
- HR 1553 (by Keel), Congratulating Robert Jackson and Michael McElhaney of Austin on their design of the Warren Skaaren Environmental Learning Center at Westcave Preserve, which was granted the Award of Excellence at the National American Institute of Architects/Committee on Architecture for Education Conference in Washington, D.C.
- **HR 1554** (by Zedler), Congratulating Justin Neal Bryan on his receipt of the Buck Weirus Spirit Award.
- **HR 1556** (by Zedler), Honoring Lynda Freeman for her decades of service to the City of Arlington.
- **HR 1557** (by Zedler), Commending the students of Meadowcreek Elementary School in the Crowley Independent School District for their interest in learning more about Texas state government.
- **HR 1559** (by Zedler), Congratulating Victor A. Hernandez of Fort Worth on achieving the rank of Eagle Scout.
- **HR 1560** (by Zedler), Honoring Stephen Roe of Mansfield on becoming an Eagle Scout.
- **HR 1561** (by Zedler), Honoring Daniel T. Serna of Arlington on his appointment to the Texas Tech University System Board of Regents.
- **HR 1562** (by Zedler), Honoring Sue Crouch on her retirement from the Crowley ISD Board of Trustees.
- **HR 1563** (by Bohac), Congratulating Casey Johnson of Houston on attaining the rank of Eagle Scout.
 - HR 1566 was previously adopted.
- **HR 1568** (by F. Brown), Honoring Sister Gretchen Kunz of Bryan as she transitions from her position as president of Saint Joseph Health System.
- **HR 1571** (by Farabee), Recognizing the birth of Wesley Venkatesham Sudarshan and declaring him an honorary Texan.
- **HR 1572** (by Bailey), Honoring Rita A. Varavadekar, legislative intern for State Representative Kevin Bailey.
 - **HR 1580** was previously adopted.

- **HR 1581** (by McReynolds), Honoring Drew and Brenda Daugherty of Coldspring for their contributions to the Coldspring Volunteer Fire Department.
- **HR 1582** (by Burnam), Commending the third-grade students of Fort Worth's Como Elementary School and their teacher Joyce Bowens on their interest in state government.
- **HR 1584** (by Branch), Honoring the 100th anniversary of Munger Place Historic District in Dallas.
- **HR 1585** (by Branch), Honoring the 100th anniversary of the Baylor College of Dentistry.
- **HR 1586** (by Flynn), Honoring Kenneth and Marilyn Sandlin of Greenville on their 50th wedding anniversary.
- **HR 1587** (by Flynn), Honoring the Ghostriders for impressive achievements in horse-riding drill team competition.
- **HR 1588** (by Flynn), Honoring Dan and Jean Gayler of Quinlan on their golden wedding anniversary.
- **HR 1589** (by Flynn), Honoring E. J. "Buddy" and Clara Pringle on their 50th wedding anniversary.
- **HR 1590** (by Flynn), Congratulating Bill and Delores McMurtre on their 50th wedding anniversary.
- **HR 1592** (by Gallego), Congratulating the Paisano Folklorico dancers of Big Bend High School in Terlingua on winning the Best Contemporary Dance in the Intermediate B Adult Category at the Viva Aztlan Festival held in March 2005 in Lubbock.
- **HR 1594** (by Castro), Honoring Peter Thomas Padilla of San Antonio on attaining the rank of Eagle Scout.
 - HR 1595 was previously adopted.
- **HR 1596** (by Castro), Honoring Robert Eugene Stricklin, Jr., of San Antonio on attaining the rank of Eagle Scout.
- **HCR 169** (by Rose), Honoring Hulda Kercheville on the occasion of her retirement from Hernandez Middle School in San Marcos.
 - HCR 174 (by Paxton), Honoring Olympic gold medalist Carly Patterson.
- **HCR 197** (by Homer), Congratulating Bobby Dejoux of Direct on winning first place at the 2003 SkillsUSA state competition.
- **HCR 198** (by Homer), Congratulating Cory Morris of Powderly on winning first place at the 2005 SkillsUSA state competition.
- **HCR 199** (by Homer), Congratulating Jonathan Daniels of Paris on his success at the 2004 National SkillsUSA competition.
- **HCR 200** (by Homer), Honoring Bo Bolton on his retirement from North Lamar High School in Paris.

HCR 201 (by Isett and D. Jones), Honoring the employees of Southwest Airlines at the Lubbock International Airport.

HCR 202 (by Gallego), Congratulating U.S. Ambassador Tony Garza and Mariasun Aramburuzabala on their marriage.

SCR 39 (J. Jones - House Sponsor), Designating July 2005 as Lawn Mower Safety Awareness Month.

The resolutions were adopted.

The following memorial resolutions were laid before the house:

HR 1501 (by Quintanilla), In memory of Eduardo Martinez of Clint.

HR 1502 (by Quintanilla), In memory of Saridivanna Franco and Sergio Franco of El Paso.

HR 1505 (by Casteel), In memory of Carlin Dale Wicker of Fredericksburg.

HR 1511 (by Escobar and Alonzo), In memory of Laura Canales of Kingsville, "La Reina de la Onda Tejana."

HR 1527 (by Hunter), In memory of Catherine Morrison of Benson.

HR 1530 (by Uresti), In memory of Ezequiel Uresti of San Antonio.

HR 1532 (by Uresti), In memory of Ann D. Nash of Elmendorf.

HR 1542 (by Quintanilla), In memory of Maria N. Quintanilla of Tornillo.

HR 1543 (by Quintanilla), In memory of Tomas Quintanilla of Tornillo.

HR 1555 (by Zedler), In memory of Lynn Franck of Crowley.

HR 1558 (by Zedler), In memory of KayDee Welch of Mansfield.

HR 1565 (by Hilderbran), In memory of Dovie Jane Knowles of Uvalde.

HR 1567 (by Bohac), In memory of Alfred C. Habelman of Houston.

HR 1570 (by Hodge), In memory of Cubie Faye Webster Evans of Dallas.

HR 1573 (by Quintanilla), In memory of Gilberto Vargas, Sr., of Clint.

HR 1574 (by Quintanilla), In memory of Nelda L. Candelaria of El Paso.

HR 1575 (by Quintanilla), In memory of Socorro Rodriguez of Clint.

HR 1576 (by Quintanilla), In memory of Jack Dalton Strachan of Clint.

HR 1577 (by Quintanilla), In memory of Jennifer Crystal Chavez.

HR 1578 (by Quintanilla), In memory of Rene "Rocky" U. Renteria of Clint.

HR 1579 (by Quintanilla), In memory of Albert F. Hanmore of Clint.

HR 1591 (by Gallego), In memory of Krystal Leigh DelBart and Gage Leighton DelBart of Alpine.

HR 1645 (by Homer), In memory of Jack C. "Jake" Coker of Paris.

HCR 175 (by Homer), In memory of Dave L. Rodgers of Paris.

HCR 176 (by Homer), In memory of Dr. Raymond Armstrong of Paris.

HCR 177 (by Homer), In memory of Dr. John Larry Walker of Paris.

HCR 178 (by Homer), In memory of Mary Lou Williams of Paris.

HCR 179 (by Homer), In memory of Patsy Brulte Kemp of Paris.

HCR 180 (by Homer), In memory of Frances Ellis of Paris.

HCR 181 (by Homer), In memory of Juanita Stamper of Paris.

HCR 182 (by Homer), In memory of Wynona Harper Harrison of Paris.

HCR 183 (by Homer), In memory of William Merritt Noel of Paris.

HCR 184 (by Homer), In memory of Richard J. Rast of Howland.

HCR 195 (by Peña), Honoring the life of Jeramie Espinoza.

The resolutions were unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following member was granted leave of absence for the remainder of today because of appropriations business:

Kolkhorst on motion of Homer.

COMMITTEE GRANTED PERMISSION TO MEET

Representative Hughes requested permission for the Committee on Judiciary to meet while the house is in session at 10:30 a.m today, in 3W.9, for a formal meeting, to consider **SB 103** and **SB 1410**.

Permission to meet was granted.

COMMITTEE MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

The following committee meeting was announced:

Judiciary, 10:30 a.m. today, 3W.9, for a formal meeting, to consider **SB 103** and **SB 1410**.

HR 1388 - READ (by Uresti)

The chair laid out and had read the following previously adopted resolution:

HR 1388, Recognizing the Texas recipients of the Medal of Honor and the Family and Friends of the Congressional Medal of Honor.

HR 1388 - MOTION TO ADD NAMES

On motion of Representative McReynolds, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 1388** as signers thereof.

(Speaker pro tempore in the chair)

HR 1592 & HCR 202 - MOTION TO ADD NAMES

On motion of Representative McReynolds, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 1592** and **HCR 202** as signers thereof.

LOCAL, CONSENT, AND RESOLUTIONS CALENDAR SECOND READING

The following bills were laid before the house, read second time, and passed to third reading, and the following resolutions were laid before the house on committee report and adopted (members registering votes are shown following the caption):

HB 925 (by Chavez), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to creating an interagency work group on border issues.

Amendment No. 1 (Committee Amendment No. 1)

Representative Chavez offered the following committee amendment to **HB 925**:

Amend **HB 925** as follows:

- (1) On page 2, replace lines 9 and 10 with the following:
 - (14) the attorney general's office;
 - (15) the secretary of state's office;
 - (16) the Department of Public Safety; and
 - (17) the Railroad Commission.
- (2) On page 2, line 11 replace "once each year" with "quarterly".
- (3) On page 2, line 14 after subsection (c) by inserting a new appropriately named subsection as follows:

In this section, "border region" means the portion of this state located within 100 kilometers of this state's international border.

(4) On page 2, line 14 after subsection (c) by inserting a new appropriately named subsection as follows:

<u>In fulfilling its duties, the work group shall consider the effect of policies</u> instituted by the federal government impacting the border region.

Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Amendment No. 2 (Committee Amendment No. 2)

Representative Chavez offered the following committee amendment to **HB 925**:

Amend **HB 925** on page 2, line 15 by inserting a new SECTION 2 and renumbering the following SECTIONS accordingly.

SECTION 2. Subchapter D, Chapter 6, Water Code, is amended by adding Section 6.112 to read as follows:

- Sec. 6.112. BORDER PROJECTS WEBSITE. (a) In this section, "border region" means the portion of this state located within 100 kilometers of this state's international border.
- (b) The board may maintain and update an Internet-based directory of border projects, also known as the Border Activity Tracker, containing information about projects in the border region in which a state agency is involved. The board shall establish guidelines as to which projects and information are to be included in the directory.

(c) Each state agency involved in a project in the border region may electronically submit to the board any information required under this section to be on the Internet-based directory of border projects. Each state agency shall update the information promptly, not less often than quarterly.

Amendment No. 2 was adopted.

SB 1017 (Otto - House Sponsor), in lieu of **HB 2214**, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Lower Trinity Groundwater Conservation District; providing authority to issue bonds.

Representative McReynolds moved to lay **HB 2214** on the table subject to call.

The motion prevailed.

CSHB 2445 (by Leibowitz), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to service by water and sewer utilities.

SB 1847 (Guillen - House Sponsor), in lieu of **HB 2601**, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation, administration, powers, duties, operation, and financing of the Duval County Groundwater Conservation District.

Representative Guillen moved to lay HB 2601 on the table subject to call.

The motion prevailed.

SB 1848 (Guillen - House Sponsor), in lieu of **HB 2602**, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation, administration, powers, duties, operation, and financing of the Starr County Groundwater Conservation District.

Representative Guillen moved to lay HB 2602 on the table subject to call.

The motion prevailed.

CSHB 2815 (by Campbell), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Concho River Watermaster Program.

CSHB 3482 (by Hegar, Callegari, Olivo, and Howard), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the North Fort Bend Water Authority; providing authority to issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain; providing an administrative penalty.

CSHB 3488 (by Hegar), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 167; providing authority to impose taxes and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

CSSB 1810 (Quintanilla - House Sponsor), in lieu of HB 3491, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the dissolution of the Homestead Municipal Utility District, the provision of water supply services to the residents of the district's service area after dissolution, and the rates charged for water service by the City of El Paso.

Representative Quintanilla moved to lay HB 3491 on the table subject to call.

The motion prevailed.

SB 1813 (Dawson and A. Allen - House Sponsors), in lieu of **HB 3492**, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Pearland Municipal Management District No. 1; providing authority to impose an assessment, impose a tax, and issue bonds.

Representative Dawson moved to lay HB 3492 on the table subject to call.

The motion prevailed.

SB 1799 (Gonzalez Toureilles - House Sponsor), in lieu of **HB 3496**, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the powers and duties of the Bee Groundwater Conservation District.

Representative Gonzalez Toureilles moved to lay ${\bf HB~3496}$ on the table subject to call.

The motion prevailed.

CSHB 3498 (by B. Brown), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation, administration, powers, duties, functions, operations, and financing of the Rose Hill Special Utility District.

CSSB 1865 (Eiland - House Sponsor), in lieu of **HB 3499**, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Galveston County Municipal Utility District No. 53; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

Representative Eiland moved to lay HB 3499 on the table subject to call.

The motion prevailed.

CSSB 1803 (Eiland - House Sponsor), in lieu of **HB 3500**, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Galveston County Municipal Utility District No. 63; providing authority to impose taxes and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

Representative Eiland moved to lay HB 3500 on the table subject to call.

The motion prevailed.

CSSB 1801 (Eiland - House Sponsor), in lieu of **HB 3501**, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Galveston County Municipal Utility District No. 61; providing authority to impose taxes and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

Representative Eiland moved to lay HB 3501 on the table subject to call.

The motion prevailed.

CSHB 3502 (by Turner), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 406; providing authority to impose taxes and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

CSSB 1808 (Eiland - House Sponsor), in lieu of **HB 3504**, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Galveston County Municipal Utility District No. 54; providing authority to impose taxes and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

Representative Eiland moved to lay **HB 3504** on the table subject to call.

The motion prevailed.

CSSB 1800 (Eiland - House Sponsor), in lieu of **HB 3505**, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Galveston County Municipal Utility District No. 60; providing authority to impose taxes and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

Representative Eiland moved to lay HB 3505 on the table subject to call.

The motion prevailed.

CSSB 1802 (Eiland - House Sponsor), in lieu of **HB 3506**, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Galveston County Municipal Utility District No. 62; providing authority to impose taxes and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

Representative Eiland moved to lay HB 3506 on the table subject to call.

The motion prevailed.

CSSB 1804 (Eiland - House Sponsor), in lieu of **HB 3507**, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Galveston County Municipal Utility District No. 64; providing authority to impose taxes and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

Representative Eiland moved to lay HB 3507 on the table subject to call.

The motion prevailed.

CSSB 1884 (Coleman - House Sponsor), in lieu of **HB 3510**, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 460; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

Representative Coleman moved to lay HB 3510 on the table subject to call.

The motion prevailed.

CSSB 1864 (Taylor - House Sponsor), in lieu of **HB 3521**, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the powers of the Galveston County Municipal Utility District No. 51, including powers related to the construction, maintenance, operation, and financing of roads or turnpikes.

Representative Taylor moved to lay HB 3521 on the table subject to call.

The motion prevailed.

SB 1806 (Taylor - House Sponsor), in lieu of **HB 3522**, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the West Ranch Management District; providing authority to impose a tax and issue a bond or similar obligation.

Representative Taylor moved to lay **HB 3522** on the table subject to call.

The motion prevailed.

CSSB 1828 (Denny - House Sponsor), in lieu of **HB 3523**, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Smiley Road Water Control and Improvement District; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds.

Representative Denny moved to lay HB 3523 on the table subject to call.

The motion prevailed.

CSHB 3530 (by Geren), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the City of Fort Worth Municipal Utility District No. 2 of Tarrant County; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

CSHB 3531 (by Jackson), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Dallas County district and county courts administration and court services.

CSHB 3532 was deferred until the end of today's Local, Consent, and Resolutions Calendar.

CSHB 3534 (by Denny), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Denton County Municipal Utility District No. 6; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

CSHB 3535 (by Denny), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the City of Fort Worth Municipal Utility District No. 1 of Denton County; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

HB 3539 (by Hupp), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the composition of the board of directors of the Saratoga Underground Water Conservation District.

CSHB 3546 (by Otto), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the East Montgomery County Municipal Utility Districts Nos. 5, 6, and 7; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

CSHB 3548 (by Gattis), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Williamson County Municipal Utility District No. 16; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds.

CSHB 3549 (by Gattis), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Williamson County Municipal Utility District No. 21; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds.

CSHB 3551 was deferred until the end of today's Local, Consent, and Resolutions Calendar.

CSHB 3554 (by Howard), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Imperial Redevelopment District; providing authority to impose taxes and issue bonds.

- **CSHB 3556** (by B. Brown), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of Las Lomas Municipal Utility District No. 4 of Kaufman County; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.
- **HB** 3557 (by Talton), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to statutory probate court associate judges in certain courts in Harris County.
- **HB 3558** (by Taylor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Galveston County Management District No. 1; providing authority to levy an assessment, impose a tax, and issue bonds.
- **CSSB 1855** (Laubenberg House Sponsor), in lieu of **HB 3559**, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Rockwall County Municipal Utility Districts Nos. 6, 7, 8, and 9; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

Representative Laubenberg moved to lay HB 3559 on the table subject to call.

The motion prevailed.

SB 1851 (T. King - House Sponsor), in lieu of **HB 3561**, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the expansion of the East Medina County Special Utility District and the composition of the district's board of directors.

Representative T. King moved to lay HB 3561 on the table subject to call.

The motion prevailed.

- **HB 3566** (by Flores), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation, administration, powers, duties, functions, operations, and financing of the La Joya Special Utility District; providing authority to issue bonds.
- **CSHB 3568** (by Seaman), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the San Patricio County Groundwater Conservation District; providing authority to impose a tax.
- **HB 3569** (by Guillen), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation, administration, powers, duties, operation, and financing of the Zapata County Municipal Utility District No. 2.
- **CSHB 3574** (by Giddings), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Dallas County Municipal Utility District No. 3; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

Amendment No. 1

Representative Giddings offered the following amendment to CSHB 3574:

Amend **CSHB 3574** on page 3 by striking lines 24-27 and substituting "adopted a resolution consenting to the creation of the district."

Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

HB 3576 (by Mowery), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the powers, duties, administration, governance, and functions of the Benbrook Water and Sewer Authority.

Amendment No. 1 (Committee Amendment No. 1)

Representative Puente offered the following committee amendment to **HB 3576**:

Amend **HB 3576** as follows:

On page 4, lines 11 to 17, delete "The Authority may regulate the spacing and production of water wells drilled within its boundaries in the manner provided by Section 36.116(a), Water Code, to prevent interference with the Authority's water wells or other existing wells, to protect water quality, or to minimize as far as practicable the drawdown of the water table of the groundwater used by the Authority." and substitute the following:

"The Authority may regulate the drilling, equipping, completion, location, and production of groundwater wells in the manner in which the City of Benbrook, Texas, could regulate such wells under under its home-rule authority or as otherwise provided by this Act."

Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

CSSB 1882 (Eiland - House Sponsor), in lieu of **HB 3577**, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Galveston County Municipal Utility District No. 67; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

Representative Eiland moved to lay HB 3577 on the table subject to call.

The motion prevailed.

CSHB 3578 (by Hegar), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 178; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

CSHB 3579 (by Hegar), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 182; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

CSHB 3580 (by Hegar), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 181; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

HB 3582 (by B. Brown), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Kingsborough Municipal Utility District Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 of Kaufman County.

CSHB 3583 (by Van Arsdale), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 464; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

CSHB 3584 (by Van Arsdale), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 465; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

CSSB 1887 (Krusee - House Sponsor), in lieu of HB 3586, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Williamson County Municipal Utility District No. 22; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

Representative Krusee moved to lay HB 3586 on the table subject to call.

The motion prevailed.

- **HB 3589** (by F. Brown), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Research Valley Innovation District.
- SB 50 (Smithee House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to contracts between health care providers and certain health benefit plan issuers.
- SB 53 (Smithee House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the use of genetic testing information by insurers.
- SB 114 (McClendon House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the removal of a member of a junior college district board of trustees for failure to attend board meetings.
- **SB 143** (McClendon House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the extension of certain deadlines for certain professionals serving on active duty in the military.
- SB 144 (McClendon House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to trustees of military reservation school districts.
- SB 150 (Puente House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to authorizing measures to support efforts to attract major motor sports racing events to this state.

Amendment No. 1

Representatives Puente and Hilderbran offered the following amendment to SB 150:

Amend SB 150 (Senate engrossed version) as follows:

- (1) On page 1, line 14, between "2" and "the", strike "or".
 (2) On page 1, line 16, between "I'Automobile" and the period, insert ", the Champ Car organization, or the American Le Mans Series organization".
- (3) On page 2, line 27, strike "UNITED STATES GRAND PRIX" and substitute "MOTOR SPORTS RACING".
- (4) On page 3, line 16, between "Prix" and the period, insert ", or a specific automobile racing event that is part of the Champ Car World Series or the American Le Mans Series".
- (5) On page 5, lines 20-21, strike "United States Grand Prix trust fund" and substitute "Motor Sports Racing trust fund for the particular racing event".
- (6) On page 6, line 13, strike "United States Grand Prix" and substitute "Motor Sports Racing".
- (7) On page 6, lines 18-19, strike "United States Grand Prix" and substitute "Motor Sports Racing".

- (8) On page 7, lines 10-11, strike "<u>United States Grand Prix</u>" and substitute "Motor Sports Racing".
- (9) On page 7, line 15, strike "<u>United States Grand Prix</u>" and substitute "<u>Motor Sports Racing</u>".
- (10) On page 8, lines 15-16, strike "<u>United States Grand Prix</u>" and substitute "Motor Sports Racing".
- (11) On page 8, lines 25-26, strike "<u>United States Grand Prix</u>" and substitute "Motor Sports Racing".
- (12) On page 9, lines 7-8, strike "United States Grand Prix" and substitute "Motor Sports Racing".

Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

- **SB 171** (Geren House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the emergency service fee rate in certain 9-1-1 emergency communication districts.
- **SB 200** (W. Smith House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to county authority to regulate vehicular or pedestrian gates to gated communities. (Harper-Brown and Phillips recorded voting no.)
- **SB 212** (M. Noriega House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the provision of employment services by the Texas Workforce Commission to the families of military personnel stationed in this state.
- **SB 241** (Keel House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of an appellate judicial system for the Third Court of Appeals District.
- **SB 255** (Uresti House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the removal of data from data processing equipment disposed of or transferred by state agencies.
- **CSSB 261** (B. Keffer House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of a program to educate the public on the value of health coverage and to increase public awareness of health coverage options.
- **SB 264** (Eissler House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authority of the Montgomery County Hospital District to issue certain bonds or incur or assume other debt.
- **SB 276** (Berman House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to authorizing The University of Texas Health Science Center at Tyler to offer courses and degree programs in allied health and related fields.
- **CSSB 293** (Guillen and Chavez House Sponsors), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to meetings between representatives of the Department of Public Safety of the State of Texas and Mexican states on transportation and truck inspection issues.
- **SB 318** (Hopson House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to creating a recognition day in remembrance of the Texian Navy.
- **SB 347** (Hartnett House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the appointment of an appraiser to appraise the property of a decedent's or ward's estate.

- **SB 381** (Geren House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the regulation of real estate appraisers.
- **SB 382** (Geren House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to disciplinary proceedings and contested cases involving real estate appraisers and appraiser trainees.
- **SB 399** (Bohac House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to liability of certain individuals for certain governmental fines or penalties.
- **SB 433** (Casteel House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authorization of airport districts and the issuance of bonds and the exercise of eminent domain by the districts. (Gattis and Keel recorded voting no.)
- **SB 436** (Solis House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the records of a justice of the peace.
- **SB 439** (Solis House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to eviction suits in justice courts.
- **SB 443** (Blake House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the regulation of industrialized buildings.
- **SB 468** (Flynn House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the depository designated by the Hunt Memorial Hospital District.
- **SB 480** (West House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authority of a city to take certain actions with regard to certain pipelines.
- **SB 500** (Taylor and Martinez Fischer House Sponsors), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to prices charged for the provision of health care services.
- **SB 555** (Uresti House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to requirements for certain medical treatment consent forms. (Harper-Brown recorded voting no.)
- **CSSB 569** (Guillen and Chavez House Sponsors), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to meetings between representatives of the Texas Department of Transportation and Mexican states on transportation and truck inspection issues.
- **SB 619** (Flores House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the enforcement of certain standards for commercial motor vehicles.
- **SB 665** (Naishtat House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to work-related exposure to a reportable disease.
- **SB** 668 (Smithee House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authority of the board of directors of the South Randall County Hospital District to invest district funds.
- **SB 672** (Smithee House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Randall County Juvenile Board.
- **SB 678** (M. Noriega and Escobar House Sponsors), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the designation of part of Interstate Highway 35 as the Purple Heart Trail.

SB 690 (Swinford - House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the requirement to post meetings of a governmental body under the open meetings law in certain circumstances.

SB 737 was withdrawn.

CSSB 781 was deferred until the end of today's Local, Consent, and Resolutions Calendar.

SB 784 was withdrawn.

SB 792 (Hope - House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the duties of the county attorney in Montgomery County.

SB 804 (Hilderbran - House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the liability of license deputies for sales money held in trust for the Parks and Wildlife Department.

SB 828 (Eiland - House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the eligibility of certain property owners to file a late notice of protest with an appraisal review board.

SB 833 (Dukes - House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the required use of tax increment financing to provide affordable housing in certain reinvestment zones. (Gattis, Harper-Brown, Keel, and Phillips recorded voting no.)

Amendment No. 1

Representative Dukes offered the following amendment to SB 833:

Amend **SB 833** in SECTION 1 of the bill, proposed Subsection (h), Section 311.011, Tax Code (house committee printing, page 1, line 8), by striking "3.3" and substituting "1.4".

Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

SB 839 (Casteel - House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the authority of the Cow Creek Groundwater Conservation District to impose fees on certain wells.

CSSB 863 (Corte - House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the administration of promotional examinations to certain firefighters and police officers who are members of the armed forces on active duty.

SB 883 (Otto - House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the East Montgomery County Municipal Utility District No. 8; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

SB 884 (Otto - House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the East Montgomery County Municipal Utility District No. 9; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

- SB 885 (Otto House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the East Montgomery County Municipal Utility District No. 10; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.
- **SB 886** (Otto House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the East Montgomery County Municipal Utility District No. 11; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.
- **SB 887** (Otto House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the East Montgomery County Municipal Utility District No. 12; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.
- **SB 889** (Otto House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the East Montgomery County Municipal Utility District No. 13; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.
- SB 891 (Otto House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the East Montgomery County Municipal Utility District No. 14; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.
- **SB 1018** (B. Brown House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the extension or modification of residential restrictive covenants in certain counties.
- **SB 1026** (T. King House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to hospital and medical care required to be provided by the Maverick County Hospital District.
- **SB 1032** (Swinford House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the elimination of certain alternative fuels programs of this state.
 - SB 1118 was withdrawn.
- **SB 1193** (Kuempel House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the service areas of the Alamo Community College District and the Austin Community College District.
- **CSSB 1205** (Menendez House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to allowing the creation of multi-jurisdictional library districts; authorizing taxes and bonds.
- **CSSB 1214** (Naishtat House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the selection and retention of an insurance broker by certain counties; imposing an administrative penalty.
- **SB 1258** (Callegari House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the issuance or renewal of a commercial driver's license and the expiration of a commercial driver's license or commercial driver learner's permit.

- **SB 1424** (Solis House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to filing fees in a civil matter in a justice court or small claims court. (Harper-Brown recorded voting no.)
- **SB 1425** (Solis House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the filing of an affidavit of inability to pay in appealing a small claims court judgement.
- **SB 1434** (Puente House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to use of money of an advanced transportation district to finance advanced transportation or mobility enhancement by a county, municipality, or local government corporation.
- **SB 1435** (Hamric House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the numbering of emergency services districts converted from rural fire prevention districts.
- **SB 1437** (Hamric House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to emergency services district boards in districts located in more than one county.
- **SB 1480** (Uresti House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the powers and duties of the Texas Veterans Commission.
- **SB 1485** (Wong House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to providing that the social security number of a living person is excepted from required disclosure under the public information law and may be redacted without the necessity of requesting a decision from the attorney general.
- **SB 1518** (Laubenberg House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to validation of the creation of and certain acts taken by the Rockwall County Public Safety and Fire Assistance District.
- **SB 1555** (M. Noriega House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to taxes, assessments, and impact fees imposed on residential property by the Greater East End Management District.
- **SB 1587** (Paxton House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to certain foreclosure notice requirements.
 - **SB 1655** was withdrawn.
- **SB 1713** (Krusee House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of a study commission on transportation financing.
- **SB 1786** (Hamric House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the powers and duties of a navigation district or port authority.
- **SB 1792** (Rose House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the South Buda Water Control and Improvement District No. 1.

Amendment No. 1

Representative Rose offered the following amendment to SB 1792:

Amend **SB 1792** in SECTION 2 of the bill (House Committee Printing, page 3, line 22, through page 9, line 25) by striking "acre Exhibit" each time that phrase appears and substituting "acre tract of land described as Exhibit".

Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

- **SCR 2** (Berman House Sponsor), Memorializing Congress to enact legislation to provide for federal deployment of the Strategic National Stockpile within Mexico to protect United States border states.
- **SCR 6** (West House Sponsor), Memorializing Congress to establish a domestic energy policy to ensure an adequate supply of natural gas, the appropriate infrastructure, promote greater energy efficiency, and open new areas for environmentally responsible natural gas production.
- **SCR 8** (Chisum House Sponsor), Designating the chuck wagon as the official vehicle of Texas.
- **SCR 9** (J. Jones House Sponsor), Designating the cast iron Dutch oven as the official State Cooking Implement.
- **SCR 22** (Hilderbran House Sponsor), Recognizing April as Jazz Appreciation Month and honoring Jim Cullum as one of the outstanding advocates of jazz in Texas.
- **CSSB 1836** (Strama House Sponsor), in lieu of **HB 3532**, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Pflugerville Municipal Management District No. 1; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds.

Representative Strama moved to lay **HB 3532** on the table subject to call.

The motion prevailed.

HB 3551 was withdrawn.

CSSB 781 (Taylor - House Sponsor), A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the prosecution of certain acts that constitute the unauthorized business of insurance.

HB 3558 - VOTE RECONSIDERED

Representative Taylor moved to reconsider the vote by which **HB 3558** was passed to engrossment.

The motion to reconsider prevailed.

CSSB 1805 (Taylor - House Sponsor), in lieu of **HB 3558**, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of the Galveston County Management District No. 1; providing authority to levy an assessment, impose a tax, and issue bonds.

Representative Taylor moved to lay **HB 3558** on the table subject to call.

The motion prevailed.

PROVIDING FOR A LOCAL, CONSENT, AND RESOLUTIONS CALENDAR

Representative Reyna moved to set a local, consent, and resolutions calendar for 9 a.m. Wednesday, May 25.

The motion prevailed.

COMMITTEE MEETING ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following committee meetings were announced:

Local and Consent Calendars, upon final adjournment Sunday, May 22, E2.024, for a formal meeting, to set a local and consent calendar.

Corrections, upon first adjournment today, Desk 50, for a formal meeting, to consider legislation in committee and pending business.

Regulated Industries, upon first adjournment today, Desk 82, for a formal meeting, to consider SB 533 and committee business.

Transportation, upon first adjournment today, Desk 46, for a formal meeting, to consider legislation in committee.

Pensions and Investments, upon first adjournment today, Desk 41, for a formal meeting, to consider pending business.

Appropriations, upon first adjournment today, Desk 96, for a formal meeting, to consider **SB 1605**.

Land and Resource Management, upon first adjournment today, Desk 74, for a formal meeting, to consider **SB 1498**.

Public Education, 4:30 p.m. today, E2.036, for a formal meeting, to consider SB 386, SB 697, SB 799, SB 961, SB 962, SB 963, and SB 1532.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

Notice was given at this time that the speaker had signed bills and resolutions in the presence of the house (see the addendum to the daily journal, Signed by the Speaker, House List No. 47).

ADJOURNMENT

Representative McReynolds moved that the house adjourn until 12:45 p.m. today.

The motion prevailed.

The house accordingly, at 11:57 a.m., adjourned until 12:45 p.m. today.

ADDENDUM

SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

The following bills and resolutions were today signed in the presence of the house by the speaker:

House List No. 47

HB 132, HB 150, HB 233, HB 525, HB 526, HB 571, HB 633, HB 639, HB 758, HB 769, HB 805, HB 808, HB 941, HB 950, HB 952, HB 961, HB 962, HB 1058, HB 1136, HB 1163, HB 1304, HB 1350, HB 1455, HB 1471, HB 1540, HB 1573, HB 1646, HB 1735, HB 1745, HB 1814, HB 1893, HB 1924, HB 1937, HB 2179, HB 2196, HB 2340, HB 2457, HB 2511, HB 2584, HB 2645, HB 2659, HB 2930, HB 3475

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following messages from the senate were today received by the house:

Message No. 1

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE SENATE CHAMBER Austin, Texas Friday, May 20, 2005

The Honorable Speaker of the House House Chamber Austin, Texas

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed by the senate to inform the house that the senate has taken the following action:

THE SENATE HAS PASSED THE FOLLOWING MEASURES:

SB 1778 Van de Putte Relating to reporting of personal financial information by trustees of certain junior college districts and to candidates for office of certain political subdivisions; providing civil and criminal penalties.

Respectfully, Patsy Spaw Secretary of the Senate