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2008

## 1 House Resolution

2 A resolution honoring the City of Coral Springs for  
3 receiving the 2007 Malcolm Baldrige National Quality  
4 Award.

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6 WHEREAS, chartered in 1963, the City of Coral Springs is a  
7 two-time Florida Governor's Sterling Award winner and has  
8 achieved national recognition, including Money magazine's Best  
9 Places to Live and one of the 100 Best Communities for Young  
10 People by America's Promise in 2006 and 2007, and

11 WHEREAS, established in 1987, the Malcolm Baldrige National  
12 Quality Award is awarded to manufacturing and service businesses  
13 and to education, health care, and nonprofit organizations based  
14 on leadership, strategic planning, customer and market focus,  
15 measurement and analysis, human resource focus, process  
16 management, and results, and

17 WHEREAS, 2007 marks the first year that nonprofit  
18 organizations were allowed to compete for the award, and the  
19 City of Coral Springs was one of 13 nonprofit organizations to  
20 apply for the award and one of only four nonprofit organizations  
21 to receive a site visit, during which the city underwent a  
22 rigorous week-long evaluation by a board of nine examiners, and

23 WHEREAS, the City of Coral Springs has become the first  
24 local government in the country to receive the coveted Malcolm  
25 Baldrige National Quality Award, which is presented by the  
26 United States Department of Commerce, and will be honored in  
27 Washington, D.C., in recognition of this accomplishment, NOW,  
28 THEREFORE,

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30 Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of  
31 Florida:

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33         That the City of Coral Springs is commended for receiving  
34 the 2007 Malcolm Baldrige National Quality Award.

35         BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be  
36 presented to the City of Coral Springs as a tangible token of  
37 the sentiments expressed herein.