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1 House Resolution

2 A resolution recognizing the outstanding achievements of
3 Palm Beach Atlantic University, a recipient of the 2009
4 President's Higher Education Community Service Honor Roll
5 with Distinction Award.

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7 WHEREAS, it is essential that colleges and universities
8 establish programs promoting service in the community, which not
9 only ensures that communities are helped but also provides each
10 student with the knowledge and abilities required to be
11 successful and compassionate in his or her future endeavors, and

12 WHEREAS, the Palm Beach Atlantic University Workshop
13 Program, which was instituted in 1968, completed its two-
14 millionth service hour this past semester, and

15 WHEREAS, the President's Higher Education Community Service
16 Honor Roll with Distinction Award is the highest federal
17 recognition a college or university can receive for its
18 commitment to volunteering, service-learning, and civic
19 engagement, and members of the honor roll are chosen based on
20 scope and innovation of service projects as well as the
21 percentage of student participation in such service activities,
22 and

23 WHEREAS, the Corporation for National and Community Service
24 presented the 2009 President's Higher Education Community
25 Service Honor Roll with Distinction Award to Palm Beach Atlantic
26 University, a university that serves more than 3,200 students,
27 and

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28 WHEREAS, Palm Beach Atlantic University and its Workshop
29 Program are dedicated to improving the community and the
30 condition of its citizens, inspiring lifelong volunteerism,
31 teaching the value of teamwork, and creating a tradition of
32 caring, and

33 WHEREAS, the President's Higher Education Community Service
34 Honor Roll Program applauds this extraordinary institution and
35 raises awareness of its efforts among the community and other
36 schools, NOW, THEREFORE,

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38 Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of
39 Florida:

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41 That, on behalf of the residents of the great State of
42 Florida, the House of Representatives recognizes and
43 congratulates Palm Beach Atlantic University for being selected
44 by the Corporation for National and Community Service as a
45 member of the 2009 President's Higher Education Community
46 Service Honor Roll with Distinction.