

**RESOLUTION IN HONOR OF JANICE MONTEMAYOR
2015 BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS OF EDINBURG AND SOUTH TEXAS YOUTH OF THE YEAR**

WHEREAS, Janice Montemayor, a persevering individual, is an 18-year-old senior at Robert Vela High School in Edinburg. She recently was selected as Youth of the Year for the Boys & Girls Clubs of Edinburg Rio Grande Valley – representing eight clubs – and went on to win the South Texas Youth of the Year 2015, and,

WHEREAS, for the South Texas Youth of the Year title, Ms. Montemayor competed with Youth of the Year winners from Corpus Christi, Kingsville, Bandera, Harlingen, Pharr, and McAllen. Among the qualities that helped her capture this coveted title include: leadership skills, academic achievement, personal goals, outstanding service to the Boys & Girls Clubs, and dedicated community service to the people of Edinburg; and

WHEREAS, with dedication and commitment to improve herself and her community, Ms. Montemayor has devoted her time and energy in the last six years to club activities; throughout her journey as a Boys & Girls Club member she has had a positive influence on her peers; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Montemayor has overcome obstacles to achieve her goals. She uses skills learned through employment and experience at the Boys & Girls Club to help her achieve her goals and to assist other club members in their own struggles. She is pursuing a degree in early childhood education and plans to become a voice to those who need guidance; and

WHEREAS, in the course of her commitment to the Boys & Girls Club, Ms. Montemayor has proven herself to be an essential and valuable member of the community; perseverance has been a powerful characteristic that represents her core values; and

WHEREAS, the Boys and Girls Clubs of Edinburg leadership can attest to her dedication, hard work, perseverance and enthusiasm. With the help of the club and her complete dedication Ms. Montemayor has established high expectations for other members to follow.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Hidalgo County Commissioners Court hereby supports the resolution in honor of Janice Montemayor as the Boys & Girls Clubs of Edinburg Rio Grande Valley and South Texas 2015 Youth of the Year.

Dated this 17th day of March 2015.

RAMON GARCIA
County Judge

A.C. CUELLAR, JR.
County Commissioner, Pct. 1

EDUARDO "EDDIE" CANTU
County Commissioner, Pct. 2

JOE M. FLORES
County Commissioner, Pct.3

JOSEPH PALACIOS
County Commissioner, Pct. 4

Attest: ARTURO GUAJARDO, JR.
County Clerk