RESOLUTION NO. 3

The news-media constantly brings to the attention of the American public that plight to which immigrants who, cross the border between the United States and Mexico and then, under summer weather temperatures of 100 degrees or more, must walk for extended periods of time through desert-areas, with very little food and very little water to drink. These immigrants, who, subject themselves to great risk of life, merely immigrate into the United States in search of a better life for themselves and their families; and,

WHEREAS; there is a group of persons from El Paso known as Paisanos Al Rescate, who, fly in small planes over certain areas of the border looking for undocumented borders crossers, and upon seeing them drop bottles of water in miniature parachutes; thus keeping the crossers from becoming dehydrated and thereby preventing from dying in the desert; and,

WHEREAS, such compassion and humanitarian efforts on the part of the Paisanos Al Rescate is commendable.

NOW, BE IT RESOLVED that the League of United Latin American Citizens go on record as commending the humanitarian mission of the Paisanos Al Rescate of El Paso, Texas; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to Paisanos Al Rescate of El Paso, Texas; so as to let them know that other Paisanos are aware and grateful for their humanitarian mission.

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Considered and approved by the 2005 LULAC State Convention’s Resolution Committee.

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Chairman

RESOLUTION NO. 4

TEXAS LULAC RESOLUTION