



*Certificate of Congressional Recognition*  
*To*  
**Stand Up For Kids**  
On the Occasion of "48 Hours in the Street"

*WHEREAS,* Stand Up For Kids is an organization with the goal of assisting homeless and street kids using volunteers in the community to go out to the streets and help find and stabilize kids; and

*WHEREAS,* Stand Up For Kids also utilizes deterrence and resource programs that are provided to schools and via the internet in order to engage and educate the public about the plight of homeless and street kids; and

*WHEREAS,* All facets of its mission are guided by the mandate that our volunteers shall tell kids they care about them and then, at every point, prove it; and

*WHEREAS,* The single greatest need for homeless and street kids is the demonstration of our continuous caring and genuine support; and

*NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED* that, on behalf of the constituents of the Eighteenth Congressional District of Texas, I take great pride in recognizing the Stand Up For Kids on the occasion of its 48 Hours in the Street event. Today's event is a visible reminder that all children are our most precious resource. Your devotion to reaching out to homeless kids and letting them know they have hope and a chance at something better is truly deserving of the respect, admiration and commendation of the United States Congress.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Sheila Jackson Lee", is positioned above the printed name.

April 29, 2005

Sheila Jackson Lee  
Member of Congress