




# THE STATE OF TEXAS

## GOVERNOR

 *To all to whom these presents shall come,  
Greetings: Know ye that this official recognition is presented  
to:*

### *Texas Teachers*

*on the occasion of its  
5<sup>th</sup> Anniversary*

*It is my pleasure to congratulate you as you celebrate the tremendous accomplishments of your mission to help people across Texas begin their teaching careers.*

*Quality educators are vital to a strong, prosperous state. The Texas Teachers Alternative Certification Program is a positive and leading force in Texas education. Your program provides the innovation and vision necessary to help ensure that our young Texans will have the effective teachers they need to become productive citizens and future leaders.*

*Texas has benefitted from your efforts, as you have placed thousands of teachers into classrooms all around our great state.*

*By helping future teachers achieve their dreams of success through your proven process, you have contributed significantly to the economic strength of our state. For that, the State of Texas owes you a debt of gratitude.*

*First Lady Anita Perry joins me in honoring your service to the Lone Star State.*



*In testimony whereof, I have signed my name and caused the Seal of the State of Texas to be affixed at the City of Austin, this the 5<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2010.*

*RICK PERRY*  
Rick Perry  
Governor of Texas