




# THE STATE OF TEXAS

## GOVERNOR

 *To all to whom these presents shall come,  
Greetings: Know ye, that this certificate recognizes the:*

## Texas Youth Orchestra and Wind Ensemble

*Congratulations on being selected to participate in the 2009 Music Celebrations International in Europe. What a truly grand honor it is for you, your band directors, parents, teachers and all those who have encouraged your success.*

*Daily, young Texans are paving their way toward bright futures, building their individual legacies of advancement and accomplishment. You are demonstrating to us all that you are committed to establishing yourselves as young Texans who are embracing diligence and distinction, highlighting the very best of the Lone Star State. Truly, I am proud that you call Texas home.*

*First Lady Anita Perry joins me in extending our very best wishes for the future.*



*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 23<sup>rd</sup> day of June, 2008.*

*Rick Perry*

Rick Perry  
Governor of Texas