# Texas Regional Collaboratives for Excellence in Science and Mathematics Teaching



## HONORING THE TEACHERS

## Region 1 Science Collaborative

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Texas State Representative, District 41

#### KEYNOTE SPEAKER

The Honorable Eddie Lucio, Jr.

Texas State Senator, District 27

#### **RECOGNITION CEREMONY**

Presentation of Certificates of Achievement in life-long learning and commitment to the teaching profession.



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