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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, The city of Edinburg has been named the Most
- 2 Affordable College Town in the United States by WalletHub; and
- 3 WHEREAS, In compiling its ratings of the Best College Towns
- 4 and Cities in America, WalletHub conducted an extensive analysis of
- 5 415 cities with college or university populations exceeding 7,500
- 6 students; and
- 7 WHEREAS, WalletHub's evaluators considered a number of
- 8 factors critical to students and residents alike, among them
- 9 housing costs, monthly fitness club fees, and the average prices of
- 10 pizza, burgers, movies, and bowling; the cost of higher education
- 11 also played a pivotal role in determining the final rankings; and
- 12 WHEREAS, The city of Edinburg has worked with The University
- 13 of Texas Rio Grande Valley to foster a vibrant community where
- 14 Texans can readily access a top-notch higher education and enjoy a
- 15 high quality of life without incurring a heavy financial burden,
- 16 and this accolade is a tribute to the strength of their
- 17 collaboration; now, therefore, be it
- 18 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas
- 19 Legislature, 4th Called Session, hereby congratulate the city of
- 20 Edinburg on being named the Most Affordable College Town in the
- 21 United States by WalletHub and extend to city officials and staff
- 22 sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it further
- 23 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 24 prepared for the city as an expression of high regard by the Texas

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1 House of Representatives.