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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Pharr-San Juan-Alamo Early College High School
2 Mighty Bear Band achieved great distinction by winning first place
3 at the University Interscholastic League 6A Area G Marching Band
4 Contest and advancing to the 2023 state competition; and

5 WHEREAS, Led by director John Garza, the PSJA Early College
6 High School marching band musicians joined 14 other schools at the
7 area contest, which was held in Laredo on October 21; the Mighty
8 Bears claimed the title with their show "Nevermore," based on Edgar
9 Allan Poe's poem "The Raven"; in so doing, they became the first
10 band from PSJA ISD to become area champions; and

11 WHEREAS, Following their triumph in Laredo, the Mighty Bears
12 advanced to the State Marching Band Contest, held at the Alamodome
13 in San Antonio on October 30 and 31, where they proudly represented
14 their school against the other 6A qualifiers from across Texas; and

15 WHEREAS, Through hard work and an unwavering resolve to give
16 their very best, the talented young performers of the PSJA Early
17 College High School band have earned the admiration of their fellow
18 students and their many community supporters, and they may indeed
19 take great pride in their achievements; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas
21 Legislature, 4th Called Session, hereby congratulate the PSJA Early
22 College High School Mighty Bear Band on winning first place at the
23 2023 UIL 6A Area G Marching Band Contest and advancing to the state
24 competition and extend to all those involved with the ensemble

1 sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it further

2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

3 prepared for the band as an expression of high regard by the Texas

4 House of Representatives.