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H.C.R. No. 103

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Special Hearts Day, which is observed on December 8,
2 recognizes the important work of Special Hearts in the Arts, a
3 nonprofit organization that seeks to build more inclusive
4 communities by providing opportunities for persons with special
5 needs to engage in the arts; and

6 WHEREAS, Located in Corpus Christi, Special Hearts in the
7 Arts offers weekly classes and activities in theater arts, dance,
8 music, art, and film to individuals with special needs; the
9 organization focuses on each person's unique abilities rather than
10 disabilities, and its programs allow participants to explore and
11 showcase their creativity; and

12 WHEREAS, By empowering these individuals to develop and share
13 their diverse talents, Special Hearts in the Arts highlights the
14 remarkable contributions made by these extraordinary Texans,
15 enabling them to better connect with their fellow residents; and

16 WHEREAS, The exemplary work carried out by Special Hearts in
17 the Arts encourages communities throughout the state to promote
18 engagement in the arts for persons with special needs, and the
19 organization's efforts to advance inclusivity, connection, and
20 enrichment for all are indeed deserving of recognition; now,
21 therefore, be it

22 RESOLVED, That the 88th Legislature of the State of Texas
23 hereby designate December 8 as Special Hearts Day; and, be it
24 further

1 RESOLVED, That, in accordance with the provisions of Section
2 391.004(d), Government Code, this designation remain in effect
3 until the 10th anniversary of the date this resolution is finally
4 passed by the legislature.