

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Proud residents of Refugio County are gathering in
2 Austin on March 7, 2023, to celebrate Refugio County Day at the
3 State Capitol; and

4 WHEREAS, Situated in the Coastal Prairies region along the
5 lower Gulf Coast, Refugio County was organized as one of the
6 thirteen original counties of the Republic of Texas, with the town
7 of Refugio as its county seat; both the town and county are named
8 for Nuestra Señora del Refugio Mission, which was founded in the
9 area in 1793 and remained in operation until 1830; and

10 WHEREAS, Agriculture is a leading industry in Refugio County,
11 and the area serves as an important source of livestock, sorghum,
12 cotton, corn, wheat, and hay; the county has also reaped economic
13 benefits derived from the region's natural resources, including
14 petroleum, natural gas, and industrial sand; in addition, hunters
15 are drawn to the county for its diverse wildlife; and

16 WHEREAS, Today, Refugio County is home to more than 6,700
17 people; residents and visitors alike have enjoyed attending annual
18 events hosted by the town of Refugio, such as the Refugio County
19 Fair; and

20 WHEREAS, The people of Refugio County take great pride in
21 their rich history as they work together to build an even brighter
22 future, and it is indeed fitting to honor them for their unique
23 contributions to the Lone Star State; now, therefore, be it

24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas

H.R. No. 214

1 Legislature hereby recognize March 7, 2023, as Refugio County Day
2 at the State Capitol and extend a warm welcome to the visiting
3 delegation.

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Phelan	Guerra	Murr
Allen	Guillen	Neave Criado
Allison	Harless	Noble
Anchía	Harris of Anderson	Oliverson
Anderson	Harris of Williamson	Ordaz
Ashby	Harrison	Orr
Bailes	Hayes	Ortega
Bell of Kaufman	Hefner	Patterson
Bell of Montgomery	Hernandez	Paul
Bernal	Herrero	Perez
Bhojani	Hinojosa	Plesa
Bonnen	Holland	Price
Bowers	Howard	Ramos
Bryant	Hull	Raney
Buckley	Hunter	Raymond
Bucy	Isaac	Reynolds
Bumgarner	Jetton	Rogers
Burns	Johnson of Dallas	Romero, Jr.
Burrows	A. Johnson of Harris	Rose
Button	J. Johnson of Harris	Rosenthal
Cain	Jones of Dallas	Schaefer
Campos	Jones of Harris	Schatzline
Canales	Kacal	Schofield
Capriglione	King of Hemphill	Shaheen
Clardy	King of Uvalde	Sherman, Sr.
Cole	Kitzman	Shine
Collier	Klick	Slaton
Cook	Kuempel	Slawson
Cortez	Lalani	Smith
Craddick	Lambert	Smithee
Cunningham	Landgraf	Spiller
Darby	Leach	Stucky
Davis	Leo-Wilson	Swanson
Dean	Longoria	Talarico
DeAyala	Lopez of Bexar	Tepper
Dorazio	Lopez of Cameron	Thierry
Dutton	Lozano	Thimesch
Flores	Lujan	Thompson of Brazoria
Frank	Manuel	Thompson of Harris
Frazier	Martinez	Tinderholt
Gamez	Martinez Fischer	Toth
Garcia	Metcalf	Troxclair
Gates	Meyer	Turner
Gerdes	Meza	VanDeaver
Geren	Moody	Vasut
Gervin-Hawkins	Morales of Harris	Vo
Goldman	Morales of Maverick	Walle
González of Dallas	Morales Shaw	Wilson
González of El Paso	Morrison	Wu
Goodwin	Muñoz, Jr.	Zwiener

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 214 was adopted by the House on March 7, 2023, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House