

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Many proud Texans are visiting Austin on March 7,
2 2023, to celebrate Texas Southern University Day at the State
3 Capitol; and

4 WHEREAS, One of the nation's preeminent historically Black
5 colleges and universities, TSU was founded in 1927; it was
6 designated as a special-purpose institution of higher education for
7 urban programming by the Texas Legislature in 1973 and retains a
8 steadfast commitment to innovative approaches that respond to the
9 metropolitan environment; and

10 WHEREAS, The university now serves approximately 7,500
11 undergraduate and graduate students from around the world; it
12 offers well over 100 baccalaureate, master's, and doctoral degree
13 programs in numerous schools, including the Barbara Jordan-Mickey
14 Leland School of Public Affairs, named after two alumni who served
15 with distinction in the United States Congress; and

16 WHEREAS, TSU is noted for its Thurgood Marshall School of Law
17 and its College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences; the university is
18 also active in the Texas Legislative Internship Program, which
19 grants students the opportunity to gain valuable experience in
20 state government, alongside many legislators who share personal
21 ties to their alma mater; and

22 WHEREAS, Under the leadership of its 13th president,
23 Dr. Lesia L. Crumpton-Young, TSU has redoubled its efforts to
24 increase student success rates and academic rigor while expanding

1 its research programs, enhancing its culture, and developing
2 stronger relationships with Houston public schools, local
3 community colleges, alumni, and other stakeholders; and

4 WHEREAS, For nearly a century, Texas Southern University has
5 played an important role in higher education in the Lone Star State,
6 and its graduates continue to achieve success and make significant
7 contributions in numerous fields of endeavor; now, therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas
9 Legislature hereby recognize March 7, 2023, as Texas Southern
10 University Day at the State Capitol and extend to all those
11 associated with the institution sincere best wishes for the future;
12 and, be it further

13 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
14 prepared for Texas Southern University as an expression of high
15 regard by the Texas House of Representatives.

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H.R. No. 474

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 474 was adopted by the House on March 7, 2023, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House