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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Scouts BSA Troop No. 434 in the Sunnyside community
- 2 of Houston is celebrating the 55th anniversary of its founding in
- 3 2023; and
- WHEREAS, Troop No. 434 was established in 1968 with the help
- 5 of scoutmaster London Wilson and assistant scoutmasters Robert Bass
- 6 and Marcellus Washington; Mr. Wilson served as scoutmaster until
- 7 1976 when Lonnie Burrell and Robert Price took over the troop; in
- 8 1999, Troop No. 1008 transferred its membership to Troop No. 434,
- 9 and that year, Sullivan Thornton Jr. was selected as scoutmaster;
- 10 over the years, the troop has benefited from the generous support of
- 11 Bud's Meat Market and Johnson Funeral Home; and
- WHEREAS, Today, Troop No. 434 is led by scoutmaster Lionel
- 13 Tomlin and assistant scoutmasters Brandon Achane, Arthur Gibbs, and
- 14 Roland Foster, and it has produced 40 Eagle Scouts since 2000; for
- 15 more than 30 years, the troop has enjoyed the sponsorship of
- 16 Blueridge United Methodist Church; and
- WHEREAS, Scouts BSA Troop No. 434 has made a significant
- 18 difference in the lives of countless young Texans while
- 19 contributing to the betterment of the community, and it is indeed a
- 20 pleasure to join in recognizing this momentous milestone in the
- 21 group's rich history; now, therefore, be it
- 22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas
- 23 Legislature hereby commemorate the 55th anniversary of Scouts BSA
- 24 Troop No. 434 and extend to its members and leaders sincere best

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- 1 wishes for the future; and, be it further
- 2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 3 prepared for the troop as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 4 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 671 was adopted by the House on April 5, 2023, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House