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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Richard Max Callahan of Canton is achieving his goal
2 of visiting all 63 U.S. national parks by traveling to the last park
3 on his list, National Park of American Samoa, on May 25, 2023; and

4 WHEREAS, A lifelong resident of Canton, Max Callahan has
5 enjoyed experiencing the many natural wonders of regions across the
6 United States, and some of his favorite national parks include
7 Yosemite, Zion, Glacier, and Acadia; and

8 WHEREAS, Mr. Callahan is a former educator and administrator
9 for the Canton Independent School District, where he worked as a
10 social studies and history teacher at Canton Junior High School for
11 many years; he also served as principal of Canton Junior High from
12 1985 to 2000, and he led Canton High School from 2000 to 2008 and
13 again in fall 2013; he holds bachelor's and master's degrees from
14 East Texas State University; and

15 WHEREAS, In all his endeavors, Mr. Callahan benefits from the
16 love and support of his wife, Marilyn, and he takes great pride in
17 his daughters, Lauren and Erin, and grandsons, Miles and Owen; and

18 WHEREAS, The establishment and preservation of the U.S.
19 national parks have allowed generations of Americans to explore and
20 appreciate the natural splendor of our country, and Max Callahan is
21 to be commended for the patriotism and dedication he has
22 demonstrated in taking full advantage of all that these treasured
23 landmarks have to offer; now, therefore, be it

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

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1 Legislature hereby congratulate Richard Max Callahan on achieving
2 his goal of visiting all 63 U.S. national parks and extend to him
3 sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

4 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
5 prepared for Mr. Callahan as an expression of high regard by the
6 Texas House of Representatives.