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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The 50th annual Strawberry Festival is taking place  
2 in Pasadena on May 18 through 21, 2023; and

3           WHEREAS, First held as a one-time celebration on a football  
4 practice field, the Pasadena Strawberry Festival has grown to  
5 become one of the largest annual events in the area, attracting more  
6 than 50,000 visitors each year; the festival celebrates the city's  
7 agricultural history and a time when it was known as the Strawberry  
8 Capital of the South; and

9           WHEREAS, This much-anticipated event features a variety of  
10 activities and attractions, including a barbecue cook-off,  
11 helicopter rides, a carnival, parades, and a mud volleyball  
12 tournament; in addition, guests can enjoy live music and other  
13 performances; and

14           WHEREAS, Proceeds from the festival support local nonprofit  
15 organizations and provide scholarships for graduates of area high  
16 schools; and

17           WHEREAS, A fun occasion for all ages, the Pasadena Strawberry  
18 Festival is a beloved community tradition, and it promises to be a  
19 source of fond memories for all those in attendance; now,  
20 therefore, be it

21           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas  
22 Legislature hereby commemorate the 50th annual Strawberry Festival  
23 in Pasadena and extend to the organizers and attendees sincere best  
24 wishes for a successful and enjoyable event.