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S.C.R. No. 38

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, The State of Texas is home to some of the finest high
2 school coaches in the country, who are committed to helping young
3 Texans reach their full potential in their athletic endeavors and
4 build a strong foundation for future success; and

5 WHEREAS, Coaches exert a positive influence on the
6 development of young people and serve as role models during
7 students' formative years; in the course of their duties, these
8 educators teach fundamental life lessons and instill important
9 values such as discipline, integrity, respect, teamwork, and good
10 sportsmanship in young competitors; moreover, coaches help
11 establish and maintain the vibrant culture of high school sports,
12 which enriches the educational experience for all students and
13 strengthens the school's connection to the wider community; and

14 WHEREAS, The individuals who make up the state's secondary
15 school coaching ranks are supported by the Texas High School
16 Coaches Association, an advocacy and leadership organization
17 focused on furthering education and professionalism among its
18 members; formally organized in 1930 as the Texas High School
19 Football Coaches Association, the group sponsored the first
20 coaching school in San Antonio three years later; it assumed its
21 current name in 1941 after opening its doors to coaches in all
22 University Interscholastic League sports; in the decades since,
23 THSCA has grown to more than 25,000 members, making it one of the
24 largest organizations of its kind in the world; and

1 WHEREAS, Playing an integral role in secondary education, the
2 high school coaches of the Lone Star State are truly deserving of
3 recognition for the positive guidance they provide to students and
4 for furthering the state's proud tradition of athletic excellence;
5 now, therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, That the 88th Legislature of the State of Texas
7 hereby designate April 6 as Texas High School Coaches Day and
8 commend all those associated with the Texas High School Coaches
9 Association for their dedicated efforts; and, be it further

10 RESOLVED, That, in accordance with the provisions of Section
11 [391.004\(d\)](#), Government Code, this designation remain in effect
12 until the 10th anniversary of the date this resolution is finally
13 passed by the legislature.