SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 364

WHEREAS, Residents from Collin County are gathering in Austin on March 28 and 29, 2023, to celebrate Collin County Days at the State Capitol; and

WHEREAS, A thriving area in the heart of North Texas, Collin County is one of the largest and fastest-growing counties in the state, and it is now home to around 1.1 million residents; and

WHEREAS, Plano is the county's largest city and the location of several Fortune 1000 companies; McKinney, the county seat, along with the towns of Allen, Anna, Blue Ridge, Celina, Copeville, Fairview, Farmersville, Frisco, Josephine, Lavon, Lowry Crossing, Lucas, Melissa, Murphy, Nevada, New Hope, Parker, Princeton, Prosper, Richardson, Royse City, Sachse, Saint Paul, Van Alstyne, Weston, and Wylie make up the rest of the county and together are recognized for their charming blend of country and cosmopolitan qualities; and

WHEREAS, Collin County's economy remains strong and vibrant thanks to highly skilled workers who make the county a leader in job growth; more than 90 percent of its workforce over the age of 25 hold a high school diploma and about half have earned a bachelor's degree or higher; the county also boasts an excellent public education system, with a number of its campuses ranking among the best in the state; and

WHEREAS, Collin County offers attractive scenery and excellent recreational opportunities, and its inviting, friendly residents are welcoming to individuals, families, and businesses; and

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WHEREAS, The citizens of this notable North Texas county are working to preserve the best of their past even as they look forward to a bright and promising future, and they are sure to figure prominently in the growth and prosperity of the Lone Star State in the years ahead; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 88th Legislature, hereby recognize March 28 and 29, 2023, as Collin County Days at the State Capitol and extend a warm welcome to the visiting delegation.

Paxton, Hall, Springer

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on March 29, 2023.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate

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