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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Tradewind Airport in Amarillo is being honored as 2 the 2023 State Airport of the Year by the Texas Department of 3 Transportation Aviation Division; and

WHEREAS, Established in 1946, Tradewind Airport is located near Amarillo's central business district; the airport spans 595 acres and features two asphalt runways and a helipad; and

7 WHEREAS, Tradewind Airport offers a full range of aircraft 8 management, consulting, and air charter services, including 9 aircraft storage, maintenance, crew staffing, flight planning, 10 concierge services, and aircraft brokerage and sales; recently, the 11 facility has undergone a number of improvements to its parking and 12 fixed-base operator, and a restaurant has been added, with 13 additional on-site businesses planned for the future; and

14 WHEREAS, Tradewind Airport is indispensable to the 15 transportation infrastructure in the Panhandle region, and its 16 significant contributions to its community and to the Lone Star 17 State make it a fitting recipient of this prestigious honor; now, 18 therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the Senate of the 88th Texas Legislature 20 hereby congratulate Tradewind Airport on being named the 2023 State 21 Airport of the Year and extend to all those associated with the 22 airport sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it 23 further

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RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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prepared for Tradewind Airport as an expression of high regard by
the Texas Senate.