By: Cole

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CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Pflugerville boasts an expansive trail network that 2 provides residents and visitors with ample opportunities for 3 exercise, recreation, and social connection; and

WHEREAS, Currently, Pflugerville maintains 56 miles 4 of 5 public trails within its city limits as well as an additional 15.2 miles in its extraterritorial jurisdiction, totaling more than 71 6 7 miles of accessible paths; an analysis by city staff has found that Pflugerville has more public trails per capita than any other city 8 in the state, with 1.49 miles per 2,000 residents; moreover, an 9 estimated 94.8 percent of its citizens live within a half mile of a 10 11 trail, and 70 percent use the trails regularly; and

12 WHEREAS, Pflugerville's trail network meets robust safety standards and features parking, lighting, and restrooms along major 13 14 routes, ensuring a safe and convenient experience for trail users of all ages; in addition to facilitating access to green spaces, the 15 16 trails serve as a hub for a wide variety of cultural activities, including community events, recreational programming, and public 17 18 art installations; the pathways also help to reduce traffic congestion by connecting local neighborhoods, schools, 19 and 20 businesses; and

21 WHEREAS, The trail network in Pflugerville has made the city 22 a popular destination for Texans who enjoy active lifestyles, and 23 the city is indeed deserving of special recognition for its 24 steadfast commitment to enhancing the health and well-being of the

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1 community; now, therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, That the 89th Legislature of the State of Texas 3 hereby designate Pflugerville as the official Trail Capital of 4 Texas; and, be it further

5 RESOLVED, That, in accordance with the provisions of Section 6 391.003(e), Government Code, this designation remain in effect 7 until the 10th anniversary of the date this resolution is finally 8 passed by the legislature.