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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The city of Uvalde was the site of a memorable event
2 in 2003 when more than 1,500 residents of the community
3 participated in the world's largest cumbia dance and set a Guinness
4 World Record to the delight of their fellow Texans; and

5 WHEREAS, Led by Tejano singing star Emilio, the jovial crowd
6 represented approximately 10 percent of the town's population as
7 they gathered for the dance on the Leona Riverwalk; and

8 WHEREAS, Setting the world record for the world's largest
9 cumbia has brought Uvalde citizens closer together by highlighting
10 their community spirit and shared heritage, and this fun-filled
11 occasion will undoubtedly be a source of tremendous pride and many
12 fond memories for residents of Uvalde in the years to come; now,
13 therefore, be it

14 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas
15 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby commend the organizers and
16 participants of the world's largest cumbia dance in Uvalde who set
17 the Guinness World Record and commend them for their sense of civic
18 pride and good-natured fun.