

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, All Texans owe a debt of gratitude to the thousands
2 of men who served in the Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC); and

3 WHEREAS, Established in 1933 by President Franklin D.
4 Roosevelt, the Civilian Conservation Corps operated until 1942,
5 employing 2.5 million young men in nearly 3,000 camps throughout
6 the nation and staging countless improvement projects that served
7 to solidify our nation's infrastructure while offering opportunity
8 to American families in need; and

9 WHEREAS, More than 2,600 CCC members were responsible for the
10 development of our state parks; through the efforts of the CCC, 56
11 parks were established between 1933 and 1942, and 31 of those parks
12 are still in existence, overseen today by the Texas Parks and
13 Wildlife Department; and

14 WHEREAS, The men of the CCC were charged with overseeing all
15 aspects of the burgeoning parks system, including design and
16 construction of bridges, culverts, and water features, as well as
17 the outstanding landscaping enjoyed by visitors and residents
18 alike; in addition, many of these talented men constructed tables,
19 benches, and other structures that remain in use today; and

20 WHEREAS, The legacy of the Civilian Conservation Corps is
21 indeed great, and it is a privilege to pay tribute to those
22 individuals who contributed to the many successful projects
23 undertaken by this noteworthy government agency; now, therefore, be
24 it

H.C.R. No. 86

1 RESOLVED, That the 78th Legislature of the State of Texas
2 hereby pay tribute to the Civilian Conservation Corps and designate
3 March 31, 2003, as Texas Civilian Conservation Corps Day at the
4 State Capitol.

Gallego

Craddick	Geren	Mercer
Allen	Giddings	Merritt
Alonzo	Goodman	Miller
Bailey	Goolsby	Moreno of Harris
Baxter	Griggs	Moreno of El Paso
Berman	Grusendorf	Morrison
Bohac	Guillen	Mowery
Bonnen	Gutierrez	Naishtat
Branch	Haggerty	Nixon
Brown of Kaufman	Hamilton	Noriega
Brown of Brazos	Hamric	Oliveira
Burnam	Hardcastle	Olivo
Callegari	Harper-Brown	Paxton
Campbell	Hartnett	Pena
Canales	Heflin	Phillips
Capelo	Hegar	Pickett
Casteel	Hilderbran	Pitts
Castro	Hill	Puente
Chavez	Hochberg	Quintanilla
Chisum	Hodge	Raymond
Christian	Homer	Reyna
Coleman	Hope	Riddle
Cook of Navarro	Hopson	Ritter
Cook of Colorado	Howard	Rodriguez
Corte	Hughes	Rose
Crabb	Hunter	Seaman
Crownover	Hupp	Smith of Tarrant
Davis of Harris	Isett	Smith of Harris
Davis of Dallas	Jones of Lubbock	Smithee
Dawson	Jones of Bexar	Solis
Delisi	Jones of Dallas	Solomons
Denny	Keel	Stick
Deshotel	Keffer of Dallas	Swinford
Driver	Keffer of Eastland	Talton
Dukes	King	Taylor
Dunnam	Kolkhorst	Telford
Dutton	Krusee	Thompson
Edwards	Kuempel	Truitt
Eiland	Laney	Turner
Eissler	Laubenberg	Uresti
Elkins	Lewis	Van Arsdale
Ellis	Luna	Villarreal
Escobar	Mabry	West
Farabee	Madden	Wilson
Farrar	Marchant	Wise
Flores	Martinez Fischer	Wohlgemuth
Flynn	McCall	Wolens
Gallego	McClendon	Wong
Garza	McReynolds	Woolley
Gattis	Menendez	Zedler

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.C.R. No. 86 was adopted by the House on March 31, 2003, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.C.R. No. 86 was adopted by the Senate on May 30, 2003, by a viva-voce vote.

Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: _____

Date

Governor