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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Hundreds of librarians and library supporters from
2 across Texas are visiting Austin on February 12, 2003, to celebrate
3 Library Day at the State Capitol; and

4 WHEREAS, This state's public, academic, and special
5 libraries provide services to more than 20 million Texans every
6 year and play a key role in narrowing the digital divide,
7 encouraging lifelong learning, and combating illiteracy; and

8 WHEREAS, Libraries are a repository for humanity's
9 knowledge, culture, and aspirations, and the free flow of
10 information they facilitate allows patrons to build brighter and
11 more promising futures for both themselves and the Lone Star State;
12 and

13 WHEREAS, The men and women who staff these invaluable
14 institutions are professionals who are committed to providing the
15 public with the informational resources needed to succeed in life,
16 and it is a pleasure to honor them for their dedicated efforts; now,
17 therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas
19 Legislature hereby recognize February 12, 2003, as Library Day 2003
20 at the State Capitol and extend to all the visiting delegation
21 sincere best wishes for a memorable and enjoyable visit to Austin.