

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Many proud citizens of our state are with us today at
2 the State Capitol in connection with the biennial Austin visit
3 sponsored by Texas Midwest Community Network (TMCN); and

4 WHEREAS, An alliance of 42 communities in 25 counties
5 surrounding Abilene, TMCN was created in 1994 to promote regional
6 identity and to foster cooperation on economic development, tourism
7 development, regional promotion, and legislative awareness; and

8 WHEREAS, In addition to organizing activities to further
9 these goals, TMCN also helps to identify emerging community
10 leaders, to develop their skills and deepen their understanding for
11 regional issues, and to facilitate communication and networking
12 among them; and

13 WHEREAS, On the agenda for this notable delegation are visits
14 to the house and senate chambers, and a reception honoring
15 legislators who represent the TMCN region and Governor Rick Perry,
16 a native son of the Texas Midwest; and

17 WHEREAS, The day will also offer public-spirited citizens
18 from the Texas Midwest an opportunity to meet with their elected
19 officials to discuss concerns pertinent to their area; and

20 WHEREAS, TMCN is playing a vital role in strengthening the
21 Lone Star State, and it is most appropriate that it be commended for
22 its efforts to provide a strong voice for rural Texas, encourage
23 civic participation in the legislative process, and draw attention
24 to matters of importance to the region; now, therefore, be it

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1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas
2 Legislature hereby recognize February 19, 2003, as Texas Midwest
3 Day at the Capitol and honor the Texas Midwest Community Network for
4 its outstanding service.

Keffer of Eastland
Campbell
Hardcastle
Hunter
Laney

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 237 was adopted by the House on
February 19, 2003, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House