

1 SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The Legislature of the State of Texas is pleased to
3 recognize the National D-Day Museum and its proposed exhibit "We're
4 All In This Together"; and

5 WHEREAS, The National D-Day Museum opened in New Orleans,
6 Louisiana, on June 6, 2000, to worldwide acclaim; more than one
7 million visitors have viewed the museum's exhibits since the grand
8 opening; and

9 WHEREAS, The museum's board of trustees has undertaken a
10 campaign to develop the site into the world's foremost center for
11 World War II history; a major component of this effort is the
12 creation of the Center for the Study of the American Spirit; and

13 WHEREAS, The "We're All In This Together" exhibit will be the
14 center's major project and will be the most extensive compilation
15 of the contributions made to our country by the 48 states and two
16 territories of the United States during World War II; the exhibit
17 will include information on military personnel, defense
18 industries, military installations, units raised, prisoner of war
19 camps, and of the contributions of individuals and industries from
20 each state; and

21 WHEREAS, The information in this exhibit will preserve and
22 honor the memories and experiences of the veterans of World War II
23 and of the countless Americans who supported the war effort; now,
24 therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, That the 78th Legislature of the State of Texas
2 hereby commend the founder and members of the board of directors of
3 the National D-Day Museum for their important work in preserving
4 some of this nation's most significant historical records relating
5 to World War II and extend best wishes to all associated with the
6 museum on the effort to organize the "We're All In This Together"
7 exhibit.

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that S.C.R. No. 40 was adopted by the Senate on April 14, 2003.

Secretary of the Senate

I hereby certify that S.C.R. No. 40 was adopted by the House on May 10, 2003.

Chief Clerk of the House

Approved:

Date

Governor