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S.C.R. No. 40

1 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.