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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, The World Championship Wild Game and BBQ Cook-off, 2 which is taking place on May 12 and 13, 2006, at Pier 21 of the 3 Strand Historic District in Galveston, has become a highly 4 anticipated annual event for residents and visitors alike; and

5 WHEREAS, Now in its 10th year, this fun-filled gathering 6 attracts thousands of participants and spectators from across Texas 7 each spring; and

8 WHEREAS, Sponsored by Yaga's Children's Fund, the cook-off 9 benefits such vital charitable organizations as Gulf Coast Big 10 Brothers and Big Sisters, the Child Advocacy Center, the Hope 11 Foundation for Retarded Children, and Ronald McDonald House of 12 Galveston; and

WHEREAS, In addition to enjoying the competition, attendees can participate in a silent auction, view the Friday night fireworks display, and experience an array of tasty food; and

16 WHEREAS, For the past decade, the organizers of the World 17 Championship Wild Game and BBQ Cook-off have served up a 18 Texas-sized helping of fun and entertainment, while also raising 19 money for children in need, and this enjoyable Lone Star tradition 20 truly merits special recognition; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby commemorate the Yaga's Children's Fund 10th Annual World Championship Wild Game and BBQ Cook-off and extend to all those involved best wishes for a

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1 memorable event; and, be it further

2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 3 prepared for organizers of the event as an expression of high regard 4 by the Texas House of Representatives.