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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The alumni of Central High School in Parkin,
2 Arkansas, are holding a reunion in San Antonio on June 23-25, 2005,
3 and this memorable occasion is indeed worthy of special note; and

4 WHEREAS, From its founding in the late 1940s to the
5 graduation of its last senior class in 1970, Central High served a
6 vital function in the community, educating students to face the
7 challenges and opportunities that lay ahead; and

8 WHEREAS, The desegregation of the Parkin school system marked
9 an end to Central High's official history, but the happy memories
10 and influential experiences that shaped the lives of its alumni and
11 the camaraderie among the faculty, students, custodians, and bus
12 drivers continue to shine brightly in the hearts of all those
13 associated with the school; and

14 WHEREAS, Fond recollections are sure to be the order of the
15 day at the San Antonio reunion, as old friends revisit an important
16 touchstone in their common history, and the laughter and tears that
17 such memories evoke are among the most precious gifts of shared
18 experience; now, therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
20 Legislature hereby welcome the alumni reunion of Central High
21 School in Parkin, Arkansas, to San Antonio and extend to
22 participants sincere best wishes for an enjoyable and memorable
23 visit.