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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Bikers from across Texas are gathering for their
2 Legislative Day at the State Capitol on Monday, January 22, 2007;
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4 WHEREAS, Assembling for the occasion are members of a myriad
5 of local clubs and such statewide groups as the Texas Motorcycle
6 Rights Association II, Texas ABATE Confederation and Texas
7 Confederation of Clubs; during the 79th Texas Legislature, an
8 estimated 5,000 bikers took part in this biennial event; and

9 WHEREAS, Laced with more than 200,000 miles of highways and
10 park, county, and farm-to-market roads, the Lone Star State offers
11 bikers ample room to roam, and the Texas motorcycle fraternity
12 includes members from every corner of the land; and

13 WHEREAS, Elected and appointed officials such as Governor
14 Rick Perry, Senator Kel Seliger, Representatives Fred Brown, Norma
15 Chavez, Chuck Hopson and Borris Miles, and Commissioner of
16 Education Shirley J. Neeley are motorcycle enthusiasts; and

17 WHEREAS, Texas bikers contribute significantly to their
18 communities, organizing riding events for the enjoyment of the
19 entire family and for the support of a wide range of charitable
20 causes; and

21 WHEREAS, Together with their readiness to lend a helping
22 hand, motorcycle enthusiasts embody the spirit of adventure, love
23 of the outdoors, and passion for freedom that have long been
24 associated with the Texan character; through their attention to the

1 legislative process, those who have gathered in Austin this week
2 are also demonstrating an admirable example of civic engagement;
3 now, therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
5 Legislature welcomes all those motorcyclists participating in
6 Legislative Day at the State Capitol and extends to them sincere
7 best wishes for an enjoyable and memorable visit.