SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 393

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize March 7, 2007, as Big Spring Area Day at the Capitol; a West Texas city with a rich history, Big Spring is known for its brilliant skies and earnest hospitality, and the "Big Sky, Big Heart" community looks forward to a productive 21st century; and

WHEREAS, The City of Big Spring is the seat of Howard County; its name is derived from the huge natural spring on Sulphur Draw that once provided water to the Comanche and Shawnee Indians; the Big Spring community is home to Comanche Trail Park and Big Spring State Park; and

WHEREAS, The Big Spring community moves into the future with a skilled workforce; training programs and educational opportunities are offered by Howard College and the South West Collegiate Institute for the Deaf; students from Big Spring, Coahoma, and Forsan Independent School Districts are encouraged to attend programs such as Career Day and Next Generation Day; and

WHEREAS, The Big Spring community attracts business and industry through concerted efforts by Moore Development of Big Spring; the community continues to maintain its established manufacturing and technology industries and its vital oil, agriculture, and ranching industries; and

WHEREAS, The Big Spring area considers its greatest resource to be its citizens; known for its many amenities, the area provides residents with vocational, recreational, and educational opportunities, thus ensuring a vital and prosperous quality of life; now, therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas,
80th Legislature, hereby extend best wishes for a most
successful Big Spring Area Day at the Capitol; and, be it further
RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared in honor

of Big Spring Area Day at the State Capitol.

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President of the Senate
I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on March 7, 2007.
Secretary of the Senate
Member, Texas Senate