By: Howard of Travis H.B. No. 1739

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 1739:

By: King of Zavala C.S.H.B. No. 1739

## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

- 2 relating to a recognition week to celebrate Texas native plants.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 4 SECTION 1. Subchapter E, Chapter 662, Government Code, is
- 5 amended by adding Section 662.154 to read as follows:
- 6 Sec. 662.154. TEXAS NATIVE PLANT WEEK. (a) The third full
- 7 week in October is Texas Native Plant Week to celebrate the native
- 8 plants of Texas.
- 9 (b) Texas Native Plant Week may be regularly observed in
- 10 public schools and other places with programs to appreciate,
- 11 explore, and study Texas native plants.
- 12 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2009.