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H.R. No. 249

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A worthwhile project to benefit young people in El  
2 Paso reached a notable milestone on January 19, 2011, with the  
3 ribbon cutting for the new El Paso High School baseball and softball  
4 athletic fields; and

5 WHEREAS, Located in Tom Lea Park, adjacent to the high  
6 school, this impressive new complex was made possible through an  
7 innovative lease and interlocal agreement that was reached between  
8 the El Paso Independent School District and the City of El Paso; the  
9 initiative received additional assistance from the El Paso Water  
10 Utilities Public Service Board; and

11 WHEREAS, Funding for the fields came from a bond proposal  
12 approved by voters in 2003, and the \$1.6 million facility will  
13 provide an outstanding home for Tiger athletes long into the  
14 future; and

15 WHEREAS, The new baseball and softball complex is a prime  
16 example of the positive results that can be realized through the  
17 cooperation of citizens and public officials, and it is a welcome  
18 addition to the city of El Paso; now, therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas  
20 Legislature hereby commemorate the opening of the new baseball and  
21 softball athletic fields at El Paso High School and commend all  
22 those who contributed to this worthwhile initiative; and, be it  
23 further

24 RESOLVED, That official copies of this resolution be prepared

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1 for the El Paso Independent School District and the City of El Paso  
2 as an expression of high regard by the Texas House of  
3 Representatives.