

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Cowboy Capital Rodeo Association plays a vital
2 role in the Texas Hill Country community of Bandera; and

3 WHEREAS, Founded 28 years ago in the self-proclaimed Cowboy
4 Capital of the World, the CCRA is a nonprofit organization that
5 works to preserve and maintain the western traditions of the Lone
6 Star State; the group's primary focus is the organization of the
7 Cowboy Capital Rodeo Association Professional Rodeo, held every
8 year over Memorial Day Weekend; sanctioned by the Professional
9 Rodeo Cowboys Association, the event draws leading riders and
10 professional rodeo acts from around the nation; it has twice been
11 voted Dodge Small Rodeo of the Year, and it has been repeatedly
12 selected as one of the top five small rodeos of the year by the PRCA;
13 and

14 WHEREAS, The Cowboy Capital Rodeo features such popular
15 events as bull riding, barrel racing, bareback riding, and calf
16 roping; it also introduces the next generation to rodeo through
17 such youth activities as stickhorse races, mutton bustin', and the
18 Dodge Calf Scramble; the gathering has grown through the years to
19 include the annual Boot Kickin' Golf Tournament and the Get Your
20 Cook-On BBQ Cook-Off; and

21 WHEREAS, In addition to drawing visitors to Bandera every
22 year and being a highly anticipated celebration for area residents,
23 the rodeo benefits the community by funding college scholarships
24 for young people from Bandera County; and

1 WHEREAS, For nearly three decades, the Cowboy Capital Rodeo
2 Association has helped promote Bandera while also assisting
3 deserving area students and showcasing our state's ranching
4 heritage, and the organization's efforts are indeed deserving of
5 recognition; now, therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
7 Legislature hereby commend the Cowboy Capital Rodeo Association for
8 its many contributions to its community and extend to its members
9 sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it further

10 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
11 prepared for the association as an expression of high regard by the
12 Texas House of Representatives.

Miller of Comal

H.R. No. 838

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 838 was adopted by the House on March 31, 2011, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House