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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Texas A&M University College of Agriculture and  
2 Life Sciences is celebrating the 100th anniversary of its  
3 establishment in 2011; and

4 WHEREAS, Officially organized as the School of Agriculture in  
5 1911, the college has grown from an initial enrollment of 166 to  
6 serve some 6,500 students today; offering 40 undergraduate degree  
7 programs and over 50 graduate programs in 14 departments, the  
8 college graduates more students in agriculturally related fields  
9 than anywhere else in the country; in addition, it partners with the  
10 four Texas A&M AgriLife agencies to fulfill the university's  
11 land-grant mission of teaching, research, extension, and service;  
12 and

13 WHEREAS, Students in the College of Agriculture and Life  
14 Sciences benefit from instruction by a world-class faculty that  
15 includes a Nobel Prize laureate and a Pulitzer Prize winner; the  
16 college is widely recognized as a leader in a number of academic  
17 disciplines, and its programs range from long-established majors  
18 such as agronomy and animal science to newer fields of study such as  
19 forensics and spatial sciences; moreover, in their research,  
20 faculty members address many vital issues, including fuels for the  
21 future, potential cures for diseases, and the safety and abundance  
22 of the food supply; graduates of the school have gone on to  
23 distinguish themselves as leaders in science, industry, business,

1 and government at the local, state, and national levels; and

2 WHEREAS, For a century, the College of Agriculture and Life  
3 Sciences has remained committed to meeting the educational needs of  
4 its students, and the school has played an integral role in helping  
5 many individuals in Texas and beyond build a bright and prosperous  
6 future for themselves while contributing to the greater good; now,  
7 therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, That the Texas A&M University College of  
9 Agriculture and Life Sciences be honored on the 100th anniversary  
10 of its founding and that all those associated with the institution  
11 be extended sincere best wishes for the future.