

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Proud residents of Williamson County are gathering  
2 in Austin on April 13, 2011, to celebrate Williamson County Day at  
3 the State Capitol; and

4           WHEREAS, Williamson County is among the fastest-growing  
5 counties in the nation, with a population of more than 422,000, an  
6 increase of nearly 70 percent since 2000; and

7           WHEREAS, The county's health care resources include five new  
8 or expanded hospitals as well as the Texas A&M Health Science  
9 Center; the Texas Life-Sciences Collaboration Center in Georgetown  
10 is a vital resource for the recruitment of emerging biotech,  
11 nanotech, and medical device companies and is a boon for science  
12 classes in the area's public schools and universities; and

13           WHEREAS, A center for higher education, Williamson County  
14 boasts the campuses of historic Southwestern University, Texas  
15 State University-Round Rock Higher Education Center, Austin  
16 Community College, and the East Williamson County Higher Education  
17 Center, all of which are growing to meet demand; and

18           WHEREAS, The city of Round Rock, home to Dell Computers and  
19 the Round Rock Express minor league baseball team, continues to  
20 surge in population while maintaining the small-town feel that  
21 attracts new residents; and

22           WHEREAS, Taylor is home to the Electric Reliability Council  
23 of Texas, which manages the majority of the Lone Star State's  
24 electrical grid, and several companies focused on the creation of

1 clean, renewable energy also have offices there; and

2           WHEREAS, Leander is preparing for the future with its planned  
3 Transit Oriented Development and its active participation in the  
4 new Capital Metro commuter rail system; throughout the entire  
5 county, transportation infrastructure is being increased to  
6 accommodate growth and ensure the safety of residents and visitors;  
7 and

8           WHEREAS, Round Rock, Cedar Park, and Georgetown have been  
9 listed among the best places to live, ride out the recession, launch  
10 a new business, and retire, and the county as a whole is among the  
11 safest places to live, with one of the lowest crime rates in the  
12 nation; and

13           WHEREAS, Widely known for the hospitality, concern for  
14 others, goodwill, and civic engagement of its citizens, Williamson  
15 County is celebrated for its exceptional quality of life and the  
16 "can do" spirit of its people, pointing the way to a bright and  
17 exciting future; now, therefore, be it

18           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas  
19 Legislature hereby recognize April 13, 2011, as Williamson County  
20 Day at the State Capitol and extend to the visiting delegation  
21 sincere best wishes for a memorable and meaningful day in Austin.

Gonzales of Williamson

Straus	Gonzales of Williamson	Morrison
Aliseda	Gonzalez	Munoz, Jr.
Allen	Gooden	Murphy
Alonzo	Guillen	Naishtat
Alvarado	Gutierrez	Nash
Anchia	Hamilton	Oliveira
Anderson of Dallas	Hancock	Orr
Anderson of McLennan	Hardcastle	Otto
Aycock	Harless	Parker
Beck	Harper-Brown	Patrick
Berman	Hartnett	Paxton
Bohac	Hernandez Luna	Pena
Bonnen	Hilderbran	Perry
Branch	Hochberg	Phillips
Brown	Hopson	Pickett
Burkett	Howard of Fort Bend	Pitts
Burnam	Howard of Travis	Price
Button	Huberty	Quintanilla
Cain	Hughes	Raymond
Callegari	Hunter	Reynolds
Carter	Isaac	Riddle
Castro	Jackson	Ritter
Chisum	Johnson	Rodriguez
Christian	Keffer	Schwertner
Coleman	King of Parker	Scott
Cook	King of Taylor	Sheets
Craddick	King of Zavala	Sheffield
Creighton	Kleinschmidt	Shelton
Crownover	Kolkhorst	Simpson
Darby	Kuempel	Smith of Harris
Davis of Dallas	Landtroop	Smith of Tarrant
J. Davis of Harris	Larson	Smithee
S. Davis of Harris	Laubenberg	Solomons
Deshotel	Lavender	Strama
Driver	Legler	Taylor of Collin
Dukes	Lewis	Taylor of Galveston
Dutton	Lozano	Thompson
Eiland	Lucio III	Torres
Eissler	Lyne	Truitt
Elkins	Madden	Turner
Farias	Mallory Caraway	Veasey
Farrar	Margo	Villarreal
Fletcher	Marquez	Vo
Flynn	Martinez	Walle
Frullo	Martinez Fischer	Weber
Gallego	McClendon	White
Garza	Menendez	Woolley
Geren	Miles	Workman
Giddings	Miller of Comal	Zedler
Gonzales of Hidalgo	Miller of Erath	Zerwas

H.R. No. 1126

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1126 was adopted by the House on April 13, 2011, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House