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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Kinky Friedman is being inducted into the Texas 2 Heroes Hall of Honor at the Frontier Times Museum in Bandera on July 3 23, 2011, the National Day of the American Cowboy; and

WHEREAS, Founded in 1933, the museum houses the Western memorabilia collection of J. Marvin Hunter, the publisher of *Frontier Times* magazine; this year's Hall of Honor ceremony recognizes the pioneering spirit, strength of character, and contributions to Texas culture of one posthumous inductee and four living legends; and

10 WHEREAS, Kinky Friedman has become a state icon with his 11 signature wit and insight, and his humorous perspective on the 12 world has kept his fellow Texans on their toes for more than four 13 decades; and

14 WHEREAS, Mr. Friedman's pursuits as a musician, songwriter, 15 novelist, animal rescuer, entrepreneur, and political aspirant 16 have entertained countless people and won him a devoted following; 17 and

18 WHEREAS, The achievements of this multitalented man have 19 greatly enhanced the richness and diversity of Texas culture, and 20 he may indeed take pride in this special recognition from the 21 Frontier Times Museum; now, therefore, be it

22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas 23 Legislature hereby congratulate Kinky Friedman on his induction 24 into the Frontier Times Museum Texas Heroes Hall of Honor and

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H.R. No. 2085 1 commend him for his enduring contributions to the Lone Star State; 2 and, be it further

3 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 4 prepared for Mr. Friedman as an expression of high regard by the 5 Texas House of Representatives.