

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The year 2011 marks the 100th anniversary of the Del  
2 Rio Police Department; and

3           WHEREAS, Del Rio's first law enforcement officer, a city  
4 marshal, was hired on December 20, 1911, and in 1913, Del Rio  
5 officially established a public safety department; over the next  
6 two decades, a combination of city marshals, police officers, and  
7 deputy marshals were hired to provide protection to area residents;  
8 and

9           WHEREAS, Following a reorganization of the city  
10 administration in 1938, a new police department was established,  
11 and R. C. "Red" Hawkins subsequently served as its chief during the  
12 1940s; through the years, the department has been housed in several  
13 locations, including the LULAC building and a station on Broadway  
14 Street downtown; in May 2010, DRPD celebrated the opening of its new  
15 headquarters on Lowe Drive near the city's civic center; and

16           WHEREAS, Today, under the leadership of Chief of Police  
17 Arnaldo Ramos, the Del Rio Police Department continues to play a  
18 vital role in the life of the community as its officers and support  
19 staff carry a century-long tradition of public service into a new  
20 era of law enforcement; now, therefore, be it

21           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas  
22 Legislature hereby commemorate the 100th anniversary of the Del Rio  
23 Police Department and extend to the department's personnel sincere  
24 best wishes for continued success in their important work; and, be

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1 it further

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

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Anchia	Hamilton	Oliveira
Anderson of Dallas	Hancock	Orr
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Aycock	Harless	Parker
Beck	Harper-Brown	Patrick
Berman	Hartnett	Paxton
Bohac	Hernandez Luna	Pena
Bonnen	Hilderbran	Perry
Branch	Hochberg	Phillips
Brown	Hopson	Pickett
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Burnam	Howard of Travis	Price
Button	Huberty	Quintanilla
Cain	Hughes	Raymond
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Carter	Isaac	Riddle
Castro	Jackson	Ritter
Chisum	Johnson	Rodriguez
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Coleman	King of Parker	Scott
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Giddings	Miller of Comal	Zedler
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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2667 was adopted by the House on May 30, 2011, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House