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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Dallas singer-songwriter Scott Dean is celebrating
2 the completion of his first collection of country music with a CD
3 release party in Fort Worth on July 27, 2013; and

4 WHEREAS, Active on the Texas music scene for nearly a decade
5 as Scott Dean McCurry, Mr. Dean previously focused on playing
6 contemporary rock and roll with a wide range of stylistic
7 influences; he released four studio albums before recording his new
8 country EP, *Re-Shuffle*, under a shorter version of his name to avoid
9 confusion with another performer with a similar moniker; and

10 WHEREAS, Mr. Dean grew up listening to country music and has
11 been inspired by the works of such artists as the Flying Burrito
12 Brothers and Jerry Jeff Walker; in recording his country debut, he
13 maintained his allegiance to upbeat melodies, high-energy songs,
14 and memorable lyrics, as is evident from the title of the first
15 single from the release, "Hungover All Over Again"; and

16 WHEREAS, Through his musical endeavors, Scott Dean is
17 contributing to the cultural vibrancy of the Lone Star State, and he
18 is indeed deserving of recognition as he embarks on the next
19 exciting chapter of his career; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
21 Legislature, 2nd Called Session, hereby congratulate Scott Dean on
22 the release of his country music debut and extend to him sincere
23 best wishes for continued success; and, be it further

24 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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1 prepared for Mr. Dean as an expression of high regard by the Texas
2 House of Representatives.