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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, College Park Center at The University of Texas at
2 Arlington opened in February 2012, and this outstanding facility is
3 indeed a welcome addition to the city; and

4 WHEREAS, College Park Center is the new home of the UTA men's
5 and women's basketball teams and the volleyball team, and the
6 7,000-seat arena in downtown Arlington hosts a range of other
7 events as well, including concerts, speaking engagements, and
8 graduation ceremonies; and

9 WHEREAS, The center is the focal point of the College Park
10 District, which incorporates housing for 500 students, an
11 environmentally sustainable park, a parking garage, and retail and
12 office space; in addition to its innovative design, the buildings
13 in the 20-acre development maximize energy efficiency by employing
14 the latest innovations in green technology; and

15 WHEREAS, The College Park District was brought to fruition
16 through the shared vision and dedicated efforts of the university,
17 the City of Arlington, First Baptist Church Arlington, and a number
18 of notable organizations and community leaders; working together,
19 they have created a truly impressive urban showpiece that is sure to
20 be a hub of activity and growth for decades to come; now, therefore,
21 be it

22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
23 Legislature hereby commemorate the opening of College Park Center
24 at The University of Texas at Arlington and congratulate all those

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1 involved in the completion of this project for a job well done; and,
2 be it further

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