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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Members of the Mexican American Democrats of Texas 2 have long worked to advance causes important to the state's large 3 Hispanic population, and their groundbreaking efforts have helped 4 to ensure that the voices of all our citizens are heard and 5 respected; and

6 WHEREAS, Under the capable leadership of its presidents 7 through the years, the Mexican American Democrats of Texas has 8 successfully increased the representation of Hispanic Texans at the 9 local, state, and national levels and will undoubtedly continue 10 this proud tradition throughout the years to come; and

11 WHEREAS, Following in the footsteps of such groups as La Raza 12 Unida and the Southwest Voter Registration Project, members of the Mexican American Democrats of Texas have employed grassroots 13 14 methods to reach the largest audience possible; by actively their constituents' 15 soliciting opinions and faithfully representing their concerns, they have demonstrated the truest 16 ideals of the democratic process; now, therefore, be it 17

18 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas 19 Legislature hereby honor the 2013 president and all former 20 presidents of the Mexican American Democrats of Texas and commend 21 the organization for its achievements; and, be it further

22 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 23 prepared for the Mexican American Democrats of Texas as an 24 expression of high regard by the Texas House of Representatives.

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