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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Texas House of Representatives is pleased to
2 join the Texas Historical Commission in recognizing the businesses
3 that have been named as recipients of the Texas Treasure Business
4 Award; and

5 WHEREAS, This prestigious award honors companies that have
6 been in continuous and substantially similar independent operation
7 in the state for at least 50 years with an uninterrupted employment
8 history and good standing with the state; and

9 WHEREAS, Previous winners of this award include Adams
10 Extract; Big Red, Incorporated; Burford and Ryburn, LLP; Carneiro,
11 Chumney, and Company; Chacon Autos; Cox Manufacturing; DeWese's Tip
12 Top Café; Dixie Flag Manufacturing Company; Don Strange of Texas;
13 DPT Laboratories, LTD; Dury's Gun Shop; Earl Abel's Restaurant;
14 Ebensberger-Fisher Funeral Home; First State Bank of Burnet;
15 Firstmark Credit Union; H. E. Butt Grocery Company; Holt CAT; and
16 Houston Jewelry; and

17 WHEREAS, Additional previous award winners are Jacala
18 Mexican Restaurant; Johnson Roofing; J. R. Mooney Galleries of
19 Fine Art; Kiolbassa Provision Company; Marmon Mok Architecture;
20 Mills County State Bank; New Braunfels Smokehouse, Incorporated;
21 Penner's Menswear; the Queen Isabel Inn; R. H. McCrary Hardware;
22 Roberts Jewelry; the San Angelo Standard-Times; San Antonio Federal
23 Credit Union; Security Service Federal Credit Union; Stewart Title
24 Company; Strickland Drugs; Toudouze Market; and Univision,

1 KWEX-TV; and

2 WHEREAS, New award winners are the Buckhorn Saloon and
3 Museum; Frontier Enterprises; Holland Jewelry, Incorporated;
4 McBride's Guns, Incorporated; Page Southerland Page; and The RK
5 Group; and

6 WHEREAS, The success of these exemplary businesses has played
7 an important role in the growth and progress of our state, and it is
8 truly fitting that they be recognized for their resilience, their
9 longevity, and their many outstanding contributions to the
10 communities they serve; now, therefore, be it

11 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
12 Legislature hereby commend the recipients of the Texas Treasure
13 Business Award and extend to them sincere best wishes for continued
14 success; and, be it further

15 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
16 prepared to commemorate the relaunch of the Texas Treasure Business
17 Awards program.