

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Distinguished members of the Baylor University
2 community are gathering at the State Capitol on February 27, 2013,
3 to celebrate the school's many achievements and contributions to
4 the Lone Star State; and

5 WHEREAS, Chartered in 1845 by the Republic of Texas through
6 the efforts of Baptist pioneers, Baylor University is the oldest
7 continuously operating university in the state; originally located
8 in Independence, it was later moved to Waco, where the campus
9 currently encompasses 1,000 acres near the picturesque banks of the
10 Brazos River; and

11 WHEREAS, Throughout its 168-year history, Baylor has adapted
12 to meet the ever-changing needs of those it serves, while
13 continuing to honor its heritage as a Christian university; and

14 WHEREAS, This nationally ranked institution offers 147 areas
15 of study, preprofessional tracks, and specialized academic
16 opportunities for a diverse student body of more than 15,000; and

17 WHEREAS, Baylor University has earned an international
18 reputation for educational excellence; the school's outstanding
19 alumni include CEOs of Fortune 500 companies, religious leaders,
20 Olympic athletes, and representatives in the state and federal
21 government; and

22 WHEREAS, Baylor University has provided generations of
23 students with an exceptional education and a strong, principled
24 foundation, and in doing so, "Baylor Nation" has contributed

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1 immeasurably to the history and the future of the Lone Star State;
2 now, therefore, be it

3 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
4 Legislature hereby recognize February 27, 2013, as Baylor Day at
5 the State Capitol and extend a warm welcome to all those from the
6 university who are visiting here today.

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Straus	M. Gonzalez of El Paso	Oliveira
Allen	N. Gonzalez of El Paso	Orr
Alonzo	Gooden	Otto
Alvarado	Guerra	Paddie
Anchia	Guillen	Parker
Anderson	Gutierrez	Patrick
Ashby	Harless	Perez
Aycock	Harper-Brown	Perry
Bell	Hernandez Luna	Phillips
Bohac	Herrero	Pickett
Bonnen of Brazoria	Hilderbran	Pitts
Bonnen of Galveston	Howard	Price
Branch	Huberty	Raney
Burkett	Hughes	Ratliff
Burnam	Hunter	Raymond
Button	Isaac	Reynolds
Callegari	Johnson	Riddle
Canales	Kacal	Ritter
Capriglione	Keffer	Rodriguez of Bexar
Carter	King of Hemphill	Rodriguez of Travis
Clardy	King of Parker	Rose
Coleman	King of Taylor	Sanford
Collier	King of Zavala	Schaefer
Cook	Kleinschmidt	Sheets
Cortez	Klick	Sheffield of Bell
Craddick	Kolkhorst	Sheffield of Coryell
Creighton	Krause	Simmons
Crownover	Kuempel	Simpson
Dale	Larson	Smith
Darby	Laubenberg	Smithee
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Deshotel	Longoria	Strama
Dukes	Lozano	Taylor
Dutton	Lucio III	Thompson of Brazoria
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Elkins	Martinez	Toth
Fallon	Martinez Fischer	Turner of Collin
Farias	McClendon	Turner of Harris
Farney	Menendez	Turner of Tarrant
Farrar	Miles	Villalba
Fletcher	Miller of Comal	Villarreal
Flynn	Miller of Fort Bend	Vo
Frank	Moody	Walle
Frullo	Morrison	White
Geren	Munoz, Jr.	Workman
Giddings	Murphy	Wu
Goldman	Naishtat	Zedler
Gonzales	Nevarez	Zerwas

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 493 was adopted by the House on February 27, 2013, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House