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H.R. No. 685

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Members of the Matagorda County Cavalry are
2 committed to honoring veterans, active duty military personnel, and
3 first responders in their local communities; and

4 WHEREAS, The cavalry was founded in 2009, when a group of
5 motorcyclists organized a ride to welcome home a soldier who had
6 recently returned from Iraq; since then, the group has paid tribute
7 to heroes in many ways, including escorting wounded soldiers to
8 fishing tournaments and participating in motorcycle parades for the
9 Matagorda County First Responders; and

10 WHEREAS, In July 2010, the organization escorted the
11 traveling Vietnam Memorial Wall; named "The Parade They Never Had,"
12 the event paid tribute to those veterans who made the ultimate
13 sacrifice in behalf of their country, and participants traveled
14 from Rosenberg to East Bernard and finally to El Campo, where the
15 wall was assembled; and

16 WHEREAS, Members of the Matagorda County Cavalry are carrying
17 out a noble mission by recognizing veterans, members of the
18 military, and first responders for their service and by supporting
19 military families, and in so doing they are ensuring that these
20 brave men and women receive the assistance and appreciation they so
21 richly deserve; now, therefore, be it

22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
23 Legislature hereby commend the members of the Matagorda County
24 Cavalry for their worthy efforts and extend to all those involved

1 sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

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