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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Members of the Best Southwest Partnership are
2 visiting the State Capitol on April 10, 2013, providing a fitting
3 opportunity to recognize this notable organization; and

4 WHEREAS, Established 27 years ago by the Chambers of Commerce
5 of Cedar Hill, DeSoto, Duncanville, and Lancaster, since expanded
6 to also include the communities of Ferris, Glenn Heights, Hutchins,
7 Midlothian, Ovilla, Red Oak, and Wilmer, the Best Southwest
8 Partnership promotes enhanced economic development, high
9 educational attainment, legislative advocacy, and collaborative
10 marketing to benefit the area; and

11 WHEREAS, Over the years, this partnership has played a key
12 role in providing financial support for the Southern Dallas County
13 Educational Consortium, now the P16 Consortium, which has
14 reevaluated how education is delivered in the region and is
15 implementing a scholarship program for graduating seniors from
16 participating communities; and

17 WHEREAS, The outstanding cooperation demonstrated by
18 participants in the Best Southwest Partnership not only benefits
19 area businesses and education but also contributes to the vitality
20 of the communities served by the organization, and it is indeed a
21 pleasure to honor this notable group; now, therefore, be it

22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
23 Legislature hereby recognize April 10, 2013, as Best Southwest
24 Partnership Day at the State Capitol and extend sincere best wishes

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1 to the delegation for a memorable and meaningful visit to Austin.