

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Artists from the San Elizario Historic Art District
2 are gathering in the State Capitol from May 6 to 9, 2013, to
3 participate in the District 75 Art Show, El Paso County; and

4 WHEREAS, Tracing its roots to a Spanish settlement founded in
5 the 1750s, the San Elizario Historic Art District is a unique
6 community in El Paso County that has become a center of artistic
7 activity in the past several years; developed by local artists with
8 local funds, this three-block area in the center of the city
9 contains some 17 historical sites and more than 40 galleries, as
10 well as museums, studios, and shops, representing the work of over
11 100 artists; and

12 WHEREAS, The District 75 Art Show will include the work of
13 Amado Pena, Barry Johnson, Bert Saldana, Al Borrego, Maria Branch,
14 Melissa Himes, Guadalupe Jacquez Calderon, Alberto Escamilla,
15 Jorge Rodriguez, Rob Mack, Arturo Avalos, and Palmira Lopez, among
16 others; and

17 WHEREAS, The artists of the San Elizario Historic Art
18 District have greatly contributed to the cultural vitality of their
19 community, and their participation in the District 75 Art Show at
20 the Capitol presents a welcome opportunity for many Texans to
21 appreciate their work; now, therefore, be it

22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
23 Legislature hereby honor the artists of the San Elizario Historic
24 Art District and extend to them sincere best wishes for a productive

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1 and enjoyable visit to Austin; and, be it further

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

M. Gonzalez of El Paso

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1430 was adopted by the House on April 24, 2013, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House