## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, The National Association of Town Watch sponsors a
- 2 well-known nationwide program entitled National Night Out Against
- 3 Crime; and
- 4 WHEREAS, This notable annual event provides an opportunity
- 5 for Texans to join forces with individuals in thousands of other
- 6 towns and cities across the country to promote cooperative crime
- 7 prevention efforts; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Commemorated through neighborhood gatherings,
- 9 cookouts, parades, flashlight walks, and other activities,
- 10 National Night Out helps to build community cohesiveness,
- 11 strengthen relations between residents and local police, and
- 12 increase awareness of anticrime strategies, while sending a message
- 13 of solidarity to would-be criminals; and
- 14 WHEREAS, The importance of reducing crime, drug use, and
- 15 violence cannot be overstated, and by taking part in National Night
- 16 Out observances, Texans affirm their commitment to making their
- 17 communities stronger and safer; now, therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
- 19 Legislature hereby recognize the 2015 National Night Out Against
- 20 Crime as an essential crime prevention event and commend all those
- 21 involved in this vital endeavor.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 149 was adopted by the House on February 19, 2015, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House