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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Proud residents of Wylie are gathering in Austin on  
2 March 3 and 4, 2015, to celebrate Wylie Days at the State Capitol;  
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4           WHEREAS, Wylie was organized in the early 1870s and  
5 incorporated in 1887 with the arrival of the Gulf, Colorado, and  
6 Santa Fe Railway; the city has grown immensely since its early days  
7 on the Texas frontier, and it currently boasts a population of  
8 nearly 45,000, almost triple the number reported in the 2000  
9 census; and

10           WHEREAS, Today, the City of Wylie, Wylie Independent School  
11 District, Wylie Chamber of Commerce, and Wylie Economic Development  
12 Corporation are working in concert to build a strong community that  
13 strives to honor the past, embrace the present, and plan for the  
14 future, while valuing unity, relationships, and trust; and

15           WHEREAS, Recently called one of the best small cities in the  
16 country in which to raise a family, Wylie fosters a spirit of  
17 cooperation that leads to a thriving business environment and  
18 outstanding schools; moreover, while it is one of the fastest  
19 growing communities in the state, its crime rate decreased by five  
20 percent in 2014, and Wylie Fire Rescue is one of only 13 departments  
21 in the state to earn the highest Public Protection Classification  
22 rating; and

23           WHEREAS, Celebrating their rich and colorful history as they  
24 work together to build a bright future, the citizens of Wylie may

1 take justifiable pride in their hometown; now, therefore, be it

2       RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas  
3 Legislature hereby recognize March 3 and 4, 2015, as Wylie Days at  
4 the State Capitol and extend sincere best wishes to the visiting  
5 delegation for an informative and enjoyable stay in Austin.