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RESOLUTION

- WHEREAS, The Texas Rural Water Association is holding its 1 2 46th annual convention in Austin from March 18 through March 20, 2015, and convention participants, including Charles Hilton, 3 president of the board of the National Rural Water Association, are 4 5 gathering at the State Capitol on March 18 to celebrate Rural Water Day; and 6 7 WHEREAS, Established in 1969, the Texas Rural Water Association is a statewide trade organization with an active 8 9 membership of more than 750 nonprofit water supply corporations,
- small-town water departments, special utility districts, municipal utility districts, investor-owned utilities, and water control and
- 12 improvement districts that serve approximately 2.5 million people;
- 13 and
- WHEREAS, TRWA is dedicated to helping directors, managers,
- 15 and operators provide efficient service and clean, safe drinking
- 16 water; it also encourages education and information exchange,
- 17 offers member support services, and handles legislative and
- 18 regulatory representation; moreover, the association advocates
- 19 reasonable, practical, and affordable rules regarding rural and
- 20 small water and wastewater systems; and
- 21 WHEREAS, For more than 45 years, TRWA has done its best to
- 22 "Keep Texas Rural" by ensuring access to safe and affordable water
- 23 and wastewater systems for communities in every part of the Lone
- 24 Star State, and Rural Water Day provides a fitting opportunity to

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- 1 commend the association and its member organizations for their
- 2 valuable public service; now, therefore, be it
- 3 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
- 4 Legislature hereby recognize March 18, 2015, as Rural Water Day at
- 5 the State Capitol and extend to members of the Texas Rural Water
- 6 Association sincere best wishes for a memorable and productive
- 7 annual convention.