

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Proud residents of Zavala County are gathering in
2 Austin on April 7, 2015, to celebrate Zavala County Day at the State
3 Capitol; and

4 WHEREAS, Situated in the Winter Garden region of South Texas,
5 Zavala County covers nearly 1,300 square miles of fertile plains
6 and wild brushland and is bisected by the Nueces River; the county
7 was created by the First Legislature of Texas in 1846 and named for
8 Lorenzo de Zavala, a Mexican colonist and signer of the Texas
9 Declaration of Independence; and

10 WHEREAS, The economy is supported by livestock and grain,
11 fruit, and vegetable farming; hunting and fishing opportunities
12 abound, and notable communities include the county seat, Crystal
13 City, and La Pryor and Batesville; and

14 WHEREAS, Crystal City was laid out in 1905 and named for the
15 clear waters of a nearby artesian well; by 1908, the town had a post
16 office, a school, and a stop on the Uvalde Railway, and in 1928, it
17 was named the county seat; and

18 WHEREAS, The city is a hub for farming, ranching, and food
19 processing, with the Del Monte Corporation cannery contributing to
20 the economy of the region; self-styled as the Spinach Capital of the
21 World, the city holds a Spinach Festival that draws tens of
22 thousands of visitors every November with such activities as a
23 cook-off, a carnival and parade, and musical performances; and

24 WHEREAS, Celebrating their rich and colorful history as they

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1 work together to build a bright future, the citizens of Zavala
2 County may take justifiable pride in the important role their
3 unique region continues to play in the story of the Lone Star State;
4 now, therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
6 Legislature hereby recognize April 7, 2015, as Zavala County Day at
7 the State Capitol and extend to the visiting delegation sincere
8 best wishes for an informative and enjoyable stay in Austin.

King of Uvalde

Straus	González	Paddie
Allen	Guerra	Parker
Alonzo	Guillen	Paul
Alvarado	Gutierrez	Peña
Anchia	Harless	Phelan
Anderson of Dallas	Hernandez	Phillips
Anderson of McLennan	Herrero	Pickett
Ashby	Howard	Price
Aycock	Huberty	Raney
Bell	Hughes	Raymond
Bernal	Hunter	Reynolds
Blanco	Isaac	Riddle
Bohac	Israel	Rinaldi
Bonnen of Brazoria	Johnson	Rodriguez of Bexar
Bonnen of Galveston	Kacal	Rodriguez of Travis
Burkett	Keffer	Romero, Jr.
Burns	Keough	Rose
Burrows	King of Hemphill	Sanford
Button	King of Parker	Schaefer
Canales	King of Taylor	Schofield
Capriglione	King of Uvalde	Schubert
Clardy	Klick	Shaheen
Coleman	Koop	Sheets
Collier	Krause	Sheffield
Cook	Kuempel	Simmons
Craddick	Landgraf	Simpson
Crownover	Larson	Smith
Cyrier	Laubenberg	Smithee
Dale	Leach	Spitzer
Darby	Longoria	Springer
Davis of Dallas	Lozano	Stephenson
Davis of Harris	Lucio III	Stickland
Deshotel	Márquez	Thompson of Brazoria
Dukes	Martinez	Thompson of Harris
Dutton	Martinez Fischer	Tinderholt
Elkins	McClendon	Turner of Collin
Faircloth	Metcalf	Turner of Harris
Fallon	Meyer	Turner of Tarrant
Farias	Miles	VanDeaver
Farney	Miller of Comal	Villalba
Farrar	Miller of Fort Bend	Vo
Fletcher	Moody	Walle
Flynn	Morrison	White of Bell
Frank	Muñoz, Jr.	White of Tyler
Frullo	Murphy	Workman
Galindo	Murr	Wray
Geren	Naishtat	Wu
Giddings	Nevárez	Zedler
Goldman	Oliveira	Zerwas
Gonzales	Otto	

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1509 was adopted by the House on April 7, 2015, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House