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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Members of the Lone Star Association of Charitable
- 2 Clinics are gathering in Round Rock on April 23-24, 2015, to
- 3 celebrate the organization's 10th anniversary at its annual state
- 4 conference, and a visit to the State Capitol is a highlight of the
- 5 event; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Since its founding in 2005, the association has been
- 7 dedicated to increasing access to quality health care for the
- 8 underserved; it furnishes affiliates with networking and
- 9 educational opportunities, collects and disseminates information
- 10 relevant to its mission, and offers low-cost medical supplies and
- 11 products through corporate and national partnerships; and
- 12 WHEREAS, This worthwhile organization assists over 70
- 13 charitable Texas clinics, which together have almost 400,000
- 14 patient visits each year; chiefly staffed by a large volunteer base
- 15 of physicians, nurses, dentists, and other medical professionals,
- 16 these vital centers provide a practical alternative to costly
- 17 hospital and emergency room care; and
- 18 WHEREAS, For 10 years, the Lone Star Association of
- 19 Charitable Clinics has worked to make efficient and effective
- 20 medical treatment available to those who may otherwise go without,
- 21 and its efforts have had a profound and positive influence on the
- 22 citizens of Texas; now, therefore, be it
- 23 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
- 24 Legislature hereby recognize April 23, 2015, as Texas Charitable

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- 1 Clinic Day at the State Capitol and extend to all involved with the
- 2 clinics sincere best wishes for continued success with their
- 3 important work; and, be it further
- 4 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 5 prepared for the Lone Star Association of Charitable Clinics as an
- 6 expression of high regard by the Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1543 was adopted by the House on April 16, 2015, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House