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R E S O L U T I O N

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.