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## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The members of the Robstown Area Development
 Commission are marking the organization's 20th anniversary in 2015;
 and

WHEREAS, In October 1995, the Robstown Economic Development Commission and the city's chamber of commerce merged to form the Robstown Area Development Commission (RADC), a nonprofit corporation dedicated to promoting economic growth and stability in the region; the commission is led by 5 public directors and 14 directors elected from among its general membership; and

WHEREAS, The RADC has several standing committees that carry 10 11 out the commission's goals: the Economic and Community Development 12 Committee strives to attract new businesses, assists with development projects, and maintains a business retention and 13 14 expansion program; responsible for functions typically provided by a chamber of commerce, the Membership Services and Programs 15 16 Committee explores ways to cultivate and retain members and holds ribbon cuttings to welcome new businesses; the Legislative Affairs 17 18 Committee coordinates with the local, county, state, and federal governments, secures grants for the community, and works on 19 20 transportation and infrastructure issues; and

21 WHEREAS, Furthermore, the RADC encourages patronage of local 22 motels and restaurants and hosts several community events that 23 bring visitors to the Robstown area, including Cottonfest, the 24 Nueces County Junior Livestock Show, and the Christmas Lights

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1 Parade; and

2 WHEREAS, Dedicated to enhancing the business environment and 3 the quality of life in northwestern Nueces County, the Robstown 4 Area Development Commission contributes to its community in myriad 5 ways, and the outstanding organization indeed merits special 6 recognition for its achievements; now, therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
8 Legislature hereby commemorate the 20th anniversary of the Robstown
9 Area Development Commission and extend to its members sincere best
10 wishes for the future; and, be it further

11 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 12 prepared for the commission as an expression of high regard by the 13 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1906 was adopted by the House on May 7, 2015, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House