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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The members of the Robstown Area Development
2 Commission are marking the organization's 20th anniversary in 2015;
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4 WHEREAS, In October 1995, the Robstown Economic Development
5 Commission and the city's chamber of commerce merged to form the
6 Robstown Area Development Commission (RADC), a nonprofit
7 corporation dedicated to promoting economic growth and stability in
8 the region; the commission is led by 5 public directors and 14
9 directors elected from among its general membership; and

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

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.