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H.R. No. 2712

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The Montgomery County United Way is commemorating  
2 the 60th anniversary of the organization's founding on May 13,  
3 2015; and

4           WHEREAS, Established in 1955, MCUW actively encourages  
5 individuals and companies to work together to give, advocate, and  
6 volunteer; the agency performs an important public service by  
7 bringing together interested parties to seek solutions for local  
8 issues, and its annual campaigns have raised tens of millions of  
9 dollars to address those needs; and

10           WHEREAS, Through its website, HelpOurCounty.org, MCUW  
11 mobilizes thousands of volunteers who give generously of their  
12 time, talents, and resources in behalf of nearly 400 Days of Caring  
13 projects, annually providing more than 8,000 volunteer hours; and

14           WHEREAS, The United Way invests in area organizations that  
15 offer education, financial, health, and basic services to  
16 Montgomery County residents; among its many achievements has been  
17 the successful management of its Volunteer Income Tax Assistance  
18 program, which offers free tax assistance to  
19 low-to-moderate-income and elderly clients, and of its Healthy  
20 Living Alliance, which addresses obesity; and

21           WHEREAS, For six decades, the administrators, staff, and  
22 volunteers of the Montgomery County United Way have worked  
23 diligently to benefit the greater good, and it is indeed a privilege  
24 to join in recognizing the organization as it prepares to celebrate

1 this significant milestone in its rich history; now, therefore, be  
2 it

3         RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas  
4 Legislature hereby commemorate the 60th anniversary of the  
5 Montgomery County United Way and recognize May 13, 2015, as  
6 Montgomery County United Way Volunteer Appreciation Day at the  
7 State Capitol; and, be it further

8         RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
9 prepared for the Montgomery County United Way as an expression of  
10 high regard by the Texas House of Representatives.