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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The National Association of Town Watch sponsors the
2 well-known nationwide program National Night Out Against Crime; and

3 WHEREAS, This notable annual event provides an opportunity
4 for Texans to join forces with individuals in thousands of other
5 towns and cities across the country to promote cooperative crime
6 prevention efforts; and

7 WHEREAS, Commemorated through neighborhood gatherings,
8 cookouts, parades, flashlight walks, and other activities,
9 National Night Out helps to build community cohesiveness,
10 strengthen relations between residents and local police, and
11 increase awareness of anticrime strategies, while sending a message
12 of solidarity to would-be criminals; and

13 WHEREAS, The importance of reducing crime, drug use, and
14 violence cannot be overstated, and by taking part in National Night
15 Out observances, Texans affirm their commitment to making their
16 communities stronger and safer; now, therefore, be it

17 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
18 Legislature hereby recognize the 2017 National Night Out Against
19 Crime as an essential crime prevention event and commend all those
20 involved in this vital endeavor.