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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Members of the Mexican American Democrats of Texas
- 2 have long worked to advance causes important to the state's large
- 3 Hispanic population, and their groundbreaking efforts have helped
- 4 to ensure that the voices of all our citizens are heard and
- 5 respected; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Under the capable leadership of its presidents
- 7 through the years, the Mexican American Democrats of Texas has
- 8 successfully increased the representation of Hispanic Texans at the
- 9 local, state, and national levels and will undoubtedly continue
- 10 this proud tradition throughout the years to come; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Following in the footsteps of such groups as La Raza
- 12 Unida and the Southwest Voter Registration Project, members of the
- 13 Mexican American Democrats of Texas have employed grassroots
- 14 methods to reach the largest audience possible; by actively
- 15 soliciting their constituents' opinions and faithfully
- 16 representing their concerns, they have demonstrated the truest
- 17 ideals of the democratic process; now, therefore, be it
- 18 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
- 19 Legislature hereby honor the 2017 president and all former
- 20 presidents of the Mexican American Democrats of Texas and commend
- 21 the organization for its achievements; and, be it further
- 22 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 23 prepared for the Mexican American Democrats of Texas as an
- 24 expression of high regard by the Texas House of Representatives.