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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Members of Best Southwest Partnership and the
2 Leadership Southwest Classes of 2016 and 2017 are visiting the
3 State Capitol on February 15, 2017, to gain further insight about
4 state government; and

5 WHEREAS, Best Southwest Partnership was established in 1986
6 by Cedar Hill, DeSoto, Duncanville, and Lancaster; with a 2016
7 expansion to add Ferris, Glenn Heights, Hutchins, Midlothian,
8 Ovilla, Red Oak, Wilmer, and Balch Springs, the organization now
9 includes 12 cities and 18 partner hospitals, colleges,
10 universities, banks, utilities, and other businesses that work
11 together to encourage economic, legislative, and educational
12 well-being for Southwest Dallas and North Ellis Counties; and

13 WHEREAS, Leadership Southwest is a nine-month program that
14 offers networking opportunities and seminars with leaders in the
15 fields of education, law enforcement, government, health, economic
16 development, and transportation; participants share a common goal
17 of working for the public good and encouraging growth in Southwest
18 Dallas County; and

19 WHEREAS, Endeavoring to foster a more informed and involved
20 citizenry and to develop new leaders, the members of Best Southwest
21 Partnership and Leadership Southwest are helping to build a
22 brighter future for the Lone Star State, and it is indeed a pleasure
23 to recognize them on this special day; now, therefore, be it

24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas

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1 Legislature hereby recognize February 15, 2017, as Best Southwest
2 Day at the State Capitol and extend to all participants sincere best
3 wishes for an informative and enjoyable stay in Austin.