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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Members of the Fort Bend Leadership Forum are 2 visiting the State Capitol February 22 and 23, 2017, to gain further 3 insight into the workings of state government; and

WHEREAS, Organized in 1987 by the Fort Bend Chamber of Commerce, this outstanding program fosters community stewardship and volunteerism; participants include individuals from the areas of business, labor, religion, government, and civic and nonprofit associations who take advantage of creative learning opportunities to hone their leadership skills and develop a deeper understanding of how things work in their county; and

11 WHEREAS, Training sessions focus on such subjects as criminal 12 justice, diversity, health and social services, infrastructure and 13 economic development, municipal and county government, and state 14 and national government; facilitators emphasize the importance of 15 teamwork and collaboration and highlight the opportunities and 16 challenges facing the Fort Bend area; and

WHEREAS, Through its efforts to foster a more informed and engaged citizenry, the Fort Bend Leadership Forum is helping to build a bright and promising future for the county and the Lone Star State; now, therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas 22 Legislature hereby recognize February 22 and 23, 2017, as Fort Bend 23 Chamber Leadership Forum Days at the State Capitol and extend to the 24 visiting delegation sincere best wishes for an informative and

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1 enjoyable stay in Austin.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 417 was adopted by the House on March 2, 2017, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House