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R E S O L U T I O N

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

4 WHEREAS, Organized in 1987 by the Fort Bend Chamber of
5 Commerce, this outstanding program fosters community stewardship
6 and volunteerism; participants include individuals from the areas
7 of business, labor, religion, government, and civic and nonprofit
8 associations who take advantage of creative learning opportunities
9 to hone their leadership skills and develop a deeper understanding
10 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

17 WHEREAS, Through its efforts to foster a more informed and
18 engaged citizenry, the Fort Bend Leadership Forum is helping to
19 build a bright and promising future for the county and the Lone Star
20 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.