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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Residents of Corpus Christi are paying tribute to
2 one of the state's musical legends on March 24 and 25, 2017, at
3 Fiesta de la Flor, a celebration of the life and legacy of Selena
4 Quintanilla, presented by CITGO; and

5 WHEREAS, Organized by the Quintanilla family and the Corpus
6 Christi Convention and Visitors Bureau, the festival annually
7 honors Selena by showcasing the community and culture in which she
8 took such pride; CITGO, a longtime leader in the Corpus Christi
9 business community, is generously sponsoring this event; and

10 WHEREAS, Among the scheduled performers are some of the most
11 popular and acclaimed artists on the local and national Latin music
12 scene, including A. B. Quintanilla y Elektro Kumbia, La Mafia,
13 Jimmy Gonzalez y Grupo Mazz, Adalberto and the Latin Breed, Pete
14 Astudillo, Las Fenix, David Marez, Isabel Marie, the B-Side
15 Players, Megan Chapa, and Finding Friday; the event will also
16 feature the Madame Tussauds Hollywood Selena wax figure and guest
17 appearances by actresses Jackie Cruz from the hit Netflix series
18 *Orange Is the New Black* and Jackie Guerra from the film *Selena*; and

19 WHEREAS, Selena will forever hold a special place in the
20 hearts of fans in Texas and beyond, and this festival provides a
21 welcome opportunity to remember the vibrant "Queen of Tejano" and
22 celebrate the joy her music continues to bring; now, therefore, be
23 it

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

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1 Legislature hereby commemorate the 2017 Fiesta de la Flor and
2 extend to all those involved sincere best wishes for a successful
3 and memorable event.