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## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Members of the Texas Food & Fuel Association are
visiting the State Capitol on February 21, 2017; and

3 WHEREAS, Founded in 1949, the Texas Food & Fuel Association 4 is a nonprofit organization representing more than 700 companies in 5 the wholesale and retail segments of the fuel marketing, 6 convenience, and food industries; and

7 WHEREAS, The organization's member companies own, operate, 8 and supply more than 12,000 convenience stores across the state, 9 and they distribute approximately nine billion gallons of gasoline 10 and diesel fuel each year, both to motorists and to commercial and 11 industrial users; and

WHEREAS, Under the leadership of its current chair, Madalyne Lange, the association advocates on behalf of its members' interests and provides networking, educational, and professional development opportunities as well as resources to help stakeholders assess industry trends and market conditions; and

WHEREAS, Since its inception, the Texas Food & Fuel Association has worked diligently to support the growth and development of a vital sector of the economy, and all those associated with the group may take pride in the contributions they make to the prosperity of the Lone Star State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas Legislature hereby honor the members of the Texas Food & Fuel Association on the occasion of their visit to the State Capitol and

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1 extend to them sincere best wishes for an enjoyable and informative 2 event; and, be it further

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3 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 4 prepared for the association as an expression of high regard by the 5 Texas House of Representatives.