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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Members of a number of Jewish organizations are
2 visiting Austin on February 22, 2017, for Texas Jewish Communities
3 Advocacy Effort Day at the State Capitol; and

4 WHEREAS, Our legislative process encourages the civic
5 engagement of all who enrich the religious and cultural diversity
6 of our state, and throughout the history of Texas, Jews have played
7 an important role in community building, advocacy, and public
8 affairs; and

9 WHEREAS, Committed to improving quality of life for all
10 Texans, regardless of faith, culture, or identity, participants in
11 the coalition's Day at the State: Legislative Mission to Austin
12 include the Jewish Community Relations Council of the Jewish
13 Federation of Greater Dallas, the American Jewish Committee, Texas
14 Hillel, the Community Relations Council of the Jewish Federation of
15 San Antonio, the Jewish Federation of Greater Austin, the Jewish
16 Federation of El Paso, the Jewish Federation of Greater Houston,
17 and the Jewish Federation of Fort Worth & Tarrant County; and

18 WHEREAS, The members of these noteworthy organizations are
19 working to build on the legacy of the countless Jews from across the
20 state who have made significant contributions to society, culture,
21 and industry, and their efforts in behalf of their fellow citizens
22 are indeed worthy of commendation; now, therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
24 Legislature hereby recognize February 22, 2017, as Texas Jewish

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1 Communities Advocacy Effort Day at the State Capitol and extend to
2 all those participating sincere best wishes for a memorable and
3 informative event.