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H.R. No. 819

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, For 80 years, Resurrection Catholic School has  
2 provided high-quality education to students in Houston's Denver  
3 Harbor area and beyond; and

4           WHEREAS, The school was originally staffed by four sisters of  
5 St. Mary of Namur, who came from Fort Worth to organize the  
6 undertaking; its first building, a six-room facility, was blessed  
7 and dedicated by Bishop C. E. Byrne on September 12, 1937, and  
8 classes began the following day; as the local population grew, so  
9 did the school's enrollment, and as a result, a new building was  
10 constructed in 1962; and

11           WHEREAS, Today, RCS offers a faith-based learning  
12 environment for prekindergarten through eighth-grade students, and  
13 it employs a curriculum that includes religion, language arts,  
14 mathematics, science, and social studies, as well as art, computer  
15 technology, physical education, and use of the library; and

16           WHEREAS, Over the past eight decades, Resurrection Catholic  
17 School has equipped a number of young Texans with a strong  
18 educational foundation, and it is indeed fitting that the school be  
19 recognized at this point in its rich history; now, therefore, be it

20           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas  
21 Legislature hereby commemorate the 80th anniversary of  
22 Resurrection Catholic School and extend to all those associated  
23 with the institution sincere best wishes for continued success;  
24 and, be it further

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1           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
2 prepared for the school as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
3 House of Representatives.