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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Residents of Baytown are gathering together for the
2 2017 National Night Out Against Crime; and

3 WHEREAS, Sponsored by the National Association of Town Watch,
4 this annual event provides an opportunity for Texans to join forces
5 with individuals in thousands of other towns and cities across the
6 country to promote cooperative crime prevention efforts; and

7 WHEREAS, Each year, neighborhoods host cookouts, parades,
8 flashlight walks, and other activities for National Night Out,
9 helping to build community cohesiveness, strengthen relations
10 between residents and local police, and increase awareness of
11 anticrime strategies while sending a message of solidarity to
12 would-be criminals; and

13 WHEREAS, The importance of reducing crime, drug use, and
14 violence cannot be overstated, and by taking part in National Night
15 Out observances, Texans affirm their commitment to making their
16 communities stronger and safer; now, therefore, be it

17 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
18 Legislature hereby recognize the 2017 National Night Out Against
19 Crime in Baytown as an essential crime prevention event and commend
20 all those involved in this vital endeavor.