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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, The Corpus Christi Parks and Recreation Department

has been honored with a 2017 Texas Arts and Humanities Programming

3 Achievement Award by the Texas Recreation and Park Society; and

4 WHEREAS, This prestigious award is given each year to

5 individuals and organizations in the field of parks and recreation

that have created innovative and effective programs promoting the

7 arts and cultural activities; and

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8 WHEREAS, The Corpus Christi Parks and Recreation Department

9 was recognized for the creation and distribution of its Public Art

Collection Book, which features original photos and historical

11 information highlighting each piece of art in the city's

12 collection; the department also developed an ISpy public art tour

13 and game to encourage children and families to search for art along

14 a public transportation trolley route; since their inception, these

15 two ongoing initiatives have enabled thousands of people to enjoy

16 the 78 works of art currently in the city's public collection; and

17 WHEREAS, The arts greatly enhance the quality of life in

18 Texas, and by providing opportunities that encourage residents and

19 visitors to learn more about art in the community, the Corpus

20 Christi Parks and Recreation Department has contributed

21 immeasurably to the cultural vitality of the Lone Star State; now,

22 therefore, be it

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

24 Legislature hereby congratulate the Corpus Christi Parks and

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- 1 Recreation Department on its receipt of a 2017 Texas Arts and
- 2 Humanities Programming Achievement Award from the Texas Recreation
- 3 and Park Society and extend to all those associated with the
- 4 department sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it
- 5 further
- 6 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 7 prepared for the Corpus Christi Parks and Recreation Department as
- 8 an expression of high regard by the Texas House of Representatives.