
#### Abstract

\section*{RESOLUTION}

WHEREAS, Richland Hills residents gathered to celebrate the grand opening of The Link Event and Recreation Center on April 29, 2017; and

WHEREAS, Approved by the citizens in a bond referendum in 2015, the $\$ 16.5$ million Link Center is the largest capital project in the city's history; it is designed as a regional hub where members of the community can come together and enjoy programs in fitness, recreation, sports, education, and the arts; and

WHEREAS, The new 28,000-square-foot facility includes an indoor walking track, weight-training rooms, a gymnasium, a museum, a state-of-the-art kitchen, an arts and crafts area, a game room, and public meeting spaces that can accommodate up to 300 people; at the center of the site is a park area called Link Plaza; and

WHEREAS, Phase $I$ of this exciting project is finished, and Phase II is slated to be completed in the summer of 2017 ; it will include a gazebo, an interactive fountain, a playground, and a pavilion; and

WHEREAS, The Link Center promises to offer the people of Richland Hills an elevated sense of community in a welcoming public space, and all those involved in its creation may indeed take great pride in their contributions; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas Legislature hereby commemorate the grand opening of The Link Event and Recreation Center and congratulate the citizens of Richland


1 Hills on the construction of this outstanding public amenity; and, 2 be it further

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

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I certify that H.R. No. 2033 was adopted by the House on May 25, 2017, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House

