## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Carlos Vela of Ingleside High School has been named a 2017 Buc Days King Scholar through the Buc Days Youth Leadership Program; and

WHEREAS, Affiliated with Rodeo Corpus Christi and the Buc Days Festival, the program accepts 20 seniors each year; the 10 Miss Buc Days Scholars and 10 Buc Days King Scholars are chosen on the basis of their academic qualifications, their record of participation in extracurricular activities, and their performance in an essay and public speaking competition; and

WHEREAS, During their final semester in high school, the honorees participate in tours designed to expand their awareness of educational, career, and service opportunities within their community and take part in a Dale Carnegie leadership training program; a total of $\$ 37,000$ in scholarships is distributed among the winning students, who are eligible for matching scholarships at Del Mar Community College, Texas A\&M University--Corpus Christi, and Texas A\&M University--Kingsville; and

WHEREAS, A fitting recipient of this notable honor, Carlos Vela has demonstrated determination and perseverance in the pursuit of his goals, and he may indeed look forward to a future bright with promise; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas Legislature hereby congratulate Carlos Vela on his selection as a 2017 Buc Days King Scholar and extend to him sincere best wishes for

1 continued success in all his endeavors; and, be it further
RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be prepared for Mr. Vela as an expression of high regard by the Texas House of Representatives.

## Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2194 was adopted by the House on May 25, 2017, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House

