

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 718

WHEREAS, The City of Sherman and the Sherman Economic Development Corporation promote economic well-being and quality of life for its community by creating, retaining, and expanding jobs that facilitate growth, enhance wealth, and provide a stable tax base; and

WHEREAS, The Sherman Economic Development Corporation is engaged in local, regional, state, and federal governments, public-private partnerships, workforce development programs, chambers of commerce, independent school districts, and higher education institutions to foster an attractive business climate and to meet the increasing need for a skilled workforce; and

WHEREAS, The Sherman Economic Development Corporation works with industries, real estate professionals, the Dallas Regional Chamber, and Governor Greg Abbott's Office of Economic Development and Tourism to attract and retain high-quality jobs, develop a vibrant community, and improve the quality of life in Grayson County and throughout North Texas; and

WHEREAS, The Sherman Economic Development Corporation, in partnership with the International Economic Development Council, is celebrating the second National Economic Development Week by hosting appreciation events for local industries and community partners, as well as by promoting the weeklong event and its purpose through a variety of media platforms; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 85th Legislature, hereby recognize the week of May 8 through 13, 2017, as Economic Development Week in Sherman, Texas, and remind individuals of the importance of this community celebration, which supports the expansion of career opportunities and quality of life improvement; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for the Sherman Economic Development Corporation and the International Economic Development Council as an expression of esteem from the Texas Senate.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 3, 2017.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate