R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Citizens and business leaders of Coldspring and San
2 Jacinto County are gathering in Austin on February 13, 2019, to
3 celebrate Coldspring and San Jacinto County Day at the State
4 Capitol; and

5 WHEREAS, Situated in the gently rolling hills of the stately
6 Piney Woods, San Jacinto County was established in 1870 with
7 Coldspring as the county seat; other notable towns include
8 Shepherd, Oakhurst, and Point Blank; and

9 WHEREAS, More than half of San Jacinto County is in the Sam
10 Houston National Forest, and the county is bounded on the east by
11 Lake Livingston and the Trinity River, making the area ideal for
12 outdoor enthusiasts; points of interest include Coldspring's
13 historic downtown area and the old San Jacinto County Jail, which is
14 listed on the National Register of Historic Places and is home to a
15 museum featuring artifacts related to early settlers of East Texas;
16 and

17 WHEREAS, The lumber industry has been integral to the area,
18 and other abundant resources include oil, sand, and gas; and

19 WHEREAS, Working to further enhance the county's well-being,
20 members of the Coldspring/San Jacinto County Chamber of Commerce
21 are dedicated to the advancement of the commercial, industrial,
22 civic, cultural, and general interests of the city and county; and

23 WHEREAS, San Jacinto County is blessed with a rich history
24 and beautiful scenery, and its residents may take great pride in

1 their accomplishments as they continue to work toward an even

2 brighter future; now, therefore, be it

3   RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas

4 Legislature hereby recognize February 13, 2019, as Coldspring and

5 San Jacinto County Day at the State Capitol and extend to the

6 visiting delegation sincere best wishes for an informative and

7 enjoyable stay in Austin.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 56 was adopted by the House on March 13, 2019, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House