

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Distinguished citizens of Palmhurst are gathering  
2 in Austin on March 5, 2019, to celebrate Palmhurst Day at the State  
3 Capitol; and

4           WHEREAS, Development in the region began in 1912, when John  
5 H. Shary invested in property and irrigation to expand early  
6 experimental citrus groves into a commercial venture; remembered as  
7 the "Father of the Texas Citrus Industry," he built what is now  
8 known as the Shary Shivers Estate, a historic home where President  
9 Dwight D. Eisenhower visited and the 37th governor of Texas, Allan  
10 Shivers, married Marialice Shary; and

11           WHEREAS, Palmhurst was officially incorporated on January  
12 25, 1964; governed by a mayor and five city council members, the  
13 business-friendly town is home to a host of retail shops, and the  
14 region's climate is favorable to tourism as well as agriculture;  
15 visitors can observe numerous beautiful species of local and  
16 migratory birds in the area, and they are drawn to such attractions  
17 as the Hidalgo Pumphouse, which houses machinery that was used for  
18 development a century ago; and

19           WHEREAS, Preserving a small-town charm while working to build  
20 a bright future, the residents of Palmhurst may indeed take great  
21 pride in their community; now, therefore, be it

22           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas  
23 Legislature hereby recognize March 5, 2019, as Palmhurst Day at the  
24 State Capitol and extend to the visiting delegation sincere best

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1 wishes for a meaningful and memorable stay in Austin.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 226 was adopted by the House on March 5, 2019, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House