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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Civic-minded women from across the Lone Star State
- 2 are gathering in Austin on April 25, 2019, to celebrate Texas
- 3 Federation of Republican Women Day at the State Capitol; and
- 4 WHEREAS, The Texas Federation of Republican Women was
- 5 established in San Antonio in October 1955; with more than 300
- 6 delegates present, the organizing convention was led by
- 7 Mrs. Malcolm Milburn, and it resulted in the election of
- 8 Mrs. R. D. O'Callaghan as the first president; in the six decades
- 9 since its inception, the organization has grown into one of the
- 10 largest women's political groups in the country; and
- 11 WHEREAS, With the goals of educating the electorate,
- 12 encouraging women to run for office, and electing Republican
- 13 candidates, TFRW produces quarterly publications and works closely
- 14 with the Republican Party to train volunteers and provide support
- 15 for local and statewide campaigns through voter registration and
- 16 outreach activities, political rallies, forums, and legislative
- 17 day events; and
- 18 WHEREAS, This notable organization embodies a spirit of
- 19 public engagement, and its members may reflect with great pride on
- 20 the exemplary model of citizenship they have set for their fellow
- 21 Texans; now, therefore, be it
- 22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas
- 23 Legislature hereby recognize April 25, 2019, as Texas Federation of
- 24 Republican Women Day at the State Capitol and extend a warm welcome

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1 to the members of the organization who are visiting on this day.