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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, El Paso Community College is celebrating the 50th
2 anniversary of its founding in 2019; and

3 WHEREAS, Established in 1969, El Paso Community College had
4 an initial enrollment of 901 students, and its first classes were
5 held in the Logan Heights barracks at Fort Bliss; over the years,
6 the college has grown to serve more than one million students at
7 five campuses and has awarded over 80,000 degrees and certificates;
8 and

9 WHEREAS, Today, EPCC offers a variety of programs and degree
10 tracks, including dual credit programs for high school students in
11 every area school district; across its 12 early college high
12 schools, which enable students to earn associate degrees, enrollees
13 have achieved a 75 percent graduation rate; and

14 WHEREAS, For half a century, El Paso Community College has
15 remained committed to meeting the educational needs of its
16 students, and the school has played a vital role in helping many
17 build a bright and prosperous future; now, therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas
19 Legislature hereby commemorate the 50th anniversary of El Paso
20 Community College and extend to all those associated with the
21 school sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it
22 further

23 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
24 prepared for El Paso Community College as an expression of high

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1 regard by the Texas House of Representatives.