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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The second annual Cody Dragoo Memorial BBQ Cookoff  
2 is taking place in McLennan County on May 24 and 25, 2019; and

3 WHEREAS, This much-anticipated community event raises funds  
4 to support a scholarship in memory of Cody Dragoo, a West volunteer  
5 firefighter who was killed in the April 2013 fertilizer plant  
6 explosion; the scholarship funds are awarded to one or more West  
7 High School students studying agriculture, the field in which  
8 Mr. Dragoo was employed; and

9 WHEREAS, An International Barbeque Cookers Association  
10 sanctioned championship cook-off, the event attracts talented  
11 chefs from across the state; these highly skilled pit masters put  
12 their culinary abilities to the test as they vie to produce the  
13 tastiest entries in several different categories; guests have the  
14 opportunity to sample a variety of smoked meats while enjoying a  
15 fun, family-oriented day that will also include a car show in  
16 downtown West; and

17 WHEREAS, Texans are renowned for their love of barbecue, and  
18 the Cody Dragoo Memorial BBQ Cookoff is sure to offer everyone in  
19 attendance the chance to enjoy exceptional cuisine, entertainment,  
20 and Central Texas hospitality while supporting a worthwhile cause;  
21 now, therefore, be it

22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas  
23 Legislature hereby commemorate the 2019 Cody Dragoo Memorial BBQ  
24 Cookoff and extend to its organizers, participants, and attendees

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1 sincere best wishes for a fun and rewarding event.