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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The Young Soil and Water Conservation District  
2 celebrated the 50th anniversary of its founding on August 5, 2018;  
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4           WHEREAS, Young County was originally part of the Upper West  
5 Fork Soil and Water Conservation District, which also consisted of  
6 parts of Jack, Wise, Montague, Clay, and Archer Counties; in 1968,  
7 residents of Young County petitioned to create an independent  
8 district, and after gaining approval from the State Conservation  
9 Board and the Secretary of State, Young Soil and Water Conservation  
10 District No. 539 was officially created; and

11           WHEREAS, For the past five decades, the district has worked  
12 to increase understanding of soil and water conservation and has  
13 helped educate the public on the need to conserve natural  
14 resources; today, the organization benefits from the dedicated  
15 efforts of its staff and board of directors, including John Paclik,  
16 Chawn Jobe, Kenneth Lowe, Richard Ligon, Rodney Hawkins, Mary Jane  
17 Byerly, and Sam Creel; and

18           WHEREAS, The Young Soil and Water Conservation District has  
19 made a lasting and positive difference in area agriculture by  
20 fostering more effective stewardship of the land, and it is truly  
21 deserving of recognition at this special time in its history; now,  
22 therefore, be it

23           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas  
24 Legislature hereby congratulate the Young Soil and Water

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1 Conservation District on its 50th anniversary and extend to all  
2 those associated with the organization sincere best wishes for the  
3 future; and, be it further

4       RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
5 prepared for the district as an expression of high regard by the  
6 Texas House of Representatives.