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H.R. No. 1173

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The Texas House of Representatives is pleased to  
2 join the citizens of the town of Sunnyvale in celebrating April 11,  
3 2019, as Sunnyvale Day at the State Capitol; and

4           WHEREAS, Located 15 miles east of downtown Dallas, Sunnyvale  
5 is 16 square miles of rolling plains offering the convenience of  
6 city life amenities along with the quaint charm and relaxed pace of  
7 country living; and

8           WHEREAS, The town dates back to the mid-19th century, when  
9 homesteaders settled the Long Creek Hamlet; nearby New Hope later  
10 became a center of rural commerce when a store was built there in  
11 1885; these two communities, along with Hattersville and Tripp,  
12 merged in 1953 to form Sunnyvale; and

13           WHEREAS, The town is bordered on the north, south, and west by  
14 larger suburbs and to the east by the serene waters of Lake Ray  
15 Hubbard, a 22,745-acre recreational reservoir; and

16           WHEREAS, Sunnyvale's population of more than 6,000 is  
17 increasing as new residential and commercial developments are  
18 completed; the town's unique position is sure to attract businesses  
19 and encourage investment opportunities in the future; and

20           WHEREAS, The Sunnyvale Independent School District is an  
21 Exemplary school district with an A+ rating; its mission is to  
22 engage, equip, and empower all learners for lifelong success; and

23           WHEREAS, This quiet community with tree-lined streets and  
24 scenic wide-open spaces is an outstanding place to live, work, and

1 raise a family, and its residents look forward to a bright future;  
2 now, therefore, be it

3         RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas  
4 Legislature hereby recognize April 11, 2019, as Sunnyvale Day at  
5 the State Capitol and extend to the members of the visiting  
6 delegation sincere best wishes for a meaningful and memorable visit  
7 to Austin; and, be it further

8         RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
9 prepared for the town as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
10 House of Representatives.