

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Eduardo Garza Jr. of Mission earned great  
2 distinction by winning the Conjunto 18-21 Anthony Ortiz Jr. Prize  
3 at the 2019 Texas Folklife Big Squeeze Accordion Contest finals,  
4 held May 11 at the Bullock Texas State History Museum in Austin; and

5           WHEREAS, Established in 2007, the Big Squeeze competition  
6 showcases talented young Texans from across the state who play  
7 traditional styles of accordion music, including Cajun, conjunto,  
8 polka, and zydeco; the event is presented by Texas Folklife, a  
9 nonprofit organization dedicated to preserving the Lone Star  
10 State's diverse cultures and living heritage; and

11           WHEREAS, A student at Palmview High School, Eddie Garza  
12 advanced to the Austin competition following his outstanding  
13 performance in the April 13 Big Squeeze Talent Showcase held in  
14 Palmview; in earning the title of state champion in the conjunto  
15 18-to-21 age group, he was presented with a cash prize and a Hohner  
16 accordion; and

17           WHEREAS, Through his outstanding musical ability and his  
18 enduring commitment to excellence, Eddie Garza has brought great  
19 pride to his family, his school, and his community, and he may  
20 indeed look forward to a future bright with promise; now,  
21 therefore, be it

22           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas  
23 Legislature hereby congratulate Eduardo Garza Jr. on winning the  
24 Conjunto 18-21 Anthony Ortiz Jr. Prize in the 2019 Texas Folklife

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1 Big Squeeze Accordion Contest and extend to him sincere best wishes  
2 for continued success; and, be it further

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1836 was adopted by the House on  
May 24, 2019, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House