

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The Aledo Middle School Honor Winds ensemble is  
2 among only four middle-school groups that have been invited to  
3 perform at the Midwest Band and Orchestra Clinic, which will be held  
4 December 15 through 18, 2021, in Chicago, Illinois; and

5           WHEREAS, A prestigious international conference dedicated to  
6 raising the standards of music education, the Midwest Clinic  
7 annually draws more than 18,000 teachers and musicians from  
8 throughout the U.S. as well as numerous foreign countries; the  
9 clinic features concerts from a broad range of student groups, with  
10 invitees selected through a competitive application process; and

11           WHEREAS, Guided by band director Joey Qualls, the members of  
12 the Aledo Middle School Honor Winds will have the distinction of  
13 performing at the McCormick Place Convention Center; this  
14 achievement follows on the heels of the group's exceptional showing  
15 at the 2020 State Honor Band Competition, where it was named first  
16 runner-up; and

17           WHEREAS, The Aledo Middle School Honor Winds band has  
18 established itself as one of the finest young ensembles in the  
19 nation, and its members may take great pride in earning this  
20 exciting opportunity to display their talents on a global stage;  
21 now, therefore, be it

22           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas  
23 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby congratulate the members of  
24 the Aledo Middle School Honor Winds ensemble on being invited to

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1 attend the Midwest Band and Orchestra Clinic and extend to them  
2 sincere best wishes for a successful and enjoyable visit to  
3 Chicago; and, be it further

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 46 was adopted by the House on October 14, 2021, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House