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By:  Dutton H.C.R. No. 10

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The observance of Legislators in Schools Day creates an annual opportunity for lawmakers in the State of Texas to visit and teach in a classroom in their respective districts; and

WHEREAS, When elected officials devote their time to visiting local schools, students learn to appreciate the workings of our representative democracy, and they gain a better understanding of the legislative processes and the importance of effective public policy; moreover, by engaging in meaningful conversations with young constituents, legislators can get a fresh perspective on the day-to-day realities of public schools in the Lone Star State; and

WHEREAS, Programs that promote a stronger and more collaborative relationship between policy makers and their local school districts greatly benefit our communities and the state as a whole; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the 87th Legislature of the State of Texas hereby designate the second Tuesday in October as Legislators in Schools Day; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That, in accordance with the provisions of Section 391.004(d), Government Code, this designation remain in effect until the 10th anniversary of the date this resolution is finally passed by the legislature.