**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 315**

**WHEREAS**, The Boomtown Shootout barbecue competition is a much-anticipated event that takes place annually in Burkburnett; and

**WHEREAS**, Held each spring, the contest is sponsored by the Redneck Culinary Academy and is sanctioned by the International Barbeque Cookers Association as one of the organization's state championship cook-offs; the event attracts accomplished pitmasters from across Texas who put their skills to the test as they vie for top honors in a variety of categories, including brisket, pork ribs, and chicken; and

**WHEREAS**, The cook-off is held in conjunction with Burkburnett's annual Boomtown Shootout Spring Festival; along with great food and spirited culinary competition, attendees can also enjoy live music performances, arts and crafts vendors, and other attractions; and

**WHEREAS**, A fun occasion for all ages, the Boomtown Shootout barbecue contest is a fitting celebration of the tasty fare that is such an integral part of Texas culture, and it is a source of fond memories for countless residents and visitors; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 87th Legislature, hereby commemorate the Boomtown Shootout barbecue competition and extend to the event's organizers sincere best wishes for the future.

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