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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, March for Life has demonstrated outstanding public  
2 spirit through its dedication to the advancement of the pro-life  
3 movement; and

4 WHEREAS, On January 22, 1974, the March for Life began as a  
5 peaceful demonstration in response to the *Roe v. Wade* and *Doe*  
6 *v. Bolton* decisions, and it has since grown into one of the largest  
7 annual pro-life events in the world; each year, thousands of  
8 civic-minded individuals gather to march on Capitol Hill, and many  
9 more express their support through state marches and donations; and

10 WHEREAS, In addition to its annual demonstrations, the  
11 organization advocates year round through the March for Life Action  
12 Activist Network; in 2020, this initiative connected more than  
13 200,000 activists with legislators at the local, state, and federal  
14 level; it strives to make lobbying more accessible and ensure that  
15 its members can exercise their civic responsibility; and

16 WHEREAS, March for Life has benefited from the able  
17 leadership of its president, Jeanne F. Mancini, and the president  
18 of March for Life Action, Tom McClusky; among its goals for 2021,  
19 the organization plans to hold five state marches, expand its  
20 activist network, and increase its outreach on social and  
21 mainstream media; and

22 WHEREAS, For more than four and a half decades, the members of  
23 March for Life have made a lasting difference through their  
24 political activism, and they may indeed take great pride in their

1 contributions; now, therefore, be it

2           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas  
3 Legislature hereby commend March for Life on its political  
4 engagement and extend to its members sincere best wishes for the  
5 future; and, be it further

6           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
7 prepared for the organization as an expression of high regard by the  
8 Texas House of Representatives.