## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Shen Yun Performing Arts is launching its 2024 world
- 2 tour at Jones Hall in Houston from December 26, 2023, to January 1,
- 3 2024; and
- WHEREAS, This year marks the 18th anniversary of Shen Yun's
- 5 establishment in the United States; in 2006, a small group of elite
- 6 Chinese artists came together in New York with the mission to revive
- 7 traditional Chinese culture and share it with the world; since
- 8 then, Shen Yun has staged magnificent live performances of
- 9 classical Chinese dance that incorporate a blend of Eastern
- 10 instrumentation and Western symphony orchestra to portray 5,000
- 11 years of Chinese history and culture; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Each year, Shen Yun Performing Arts designs
- 13 brand-new productions that take audiences back through time and
- 14 space to experience China before the advent of Communism; since its
- 15 inception, Shen Yun has grown to eight equally sized companies that
- 16 tour around the world synchronously; it will kick off its 2024
- 17 season in Houston on December 26, 2023, which will be followed by
- 18 performances in Dallas, Austin, Lubbock, San Antonio, McAllen,
- 19 Midland, and El Paso, for a total of 37 shows in Texas; and
- 20 WHEREAS, Shen Yun has introduced countless patrons to the
- 21 exquisite beauty and richness of traditional Chinese culture and
- 22 dance, and it is a pleasure to join in celebrating the return of
- 23 Shen Yun and its impressively talented performers to the Bayou
- 24 City; now, therefore, be it

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- 1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas
- 2 Legislature, 4th Called Session, hereby honor Shen Yun Performing
- 3 Arts as it embarks on its 2024 world tour in Houston and recognize
- 4 December 26, 2023, as Shen Yun Day; and, be it further
- 5 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 6 prepared for Shen Yun Performing Arts as an expression of high
- 7 regard by the Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 48 was adopted by the House on December 5, 2023, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House