

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Proud residents of Tarrant County are gathering in
2 Austin on March 22 and 23, 2023, to celebrate Tarrant County Days at
3 the State Capitol; and

4 WHEREAS, Created in 1849, Tarrant County has a history rooted
5 in the Old West, having served as the terminus point for cattle
6 drives during the 19th century; it was named after General Edward
7 H. Tarrant, who commanded Republic of Texas militia forces at the
8 Battle of Village Creek in 1841; and

9 WHEREAS, Tarrant County has transformed itself from a
10 frontier community into a contemporary and cosmopolitan center for
11 business, education, culture, and tourism; with more than 2.1
12 million people, it is the third-most populous county in Texas; its
13 county seat, Fort Worth, is the state's fifth-largest city, and
14 other notable communities include Arlington, North Richland Hills,
15 Euless, Bedford, and Keller; and

16 WHEREAS, Visitors from across the nation are drawn to such
17 exciting, family-friendly attractions as Six Flags Over Texas and
18 the Fort Worth Zoo, as well as to sporting events at Choctaw
19 Stadium, Globe Life Field, Dickies Arena, and the state-of-the-art
20 AT&T Stadium; the county also boasts among its assets the Kimbell
21 Art Museum, the Modern Art Museum of Fort Worth, and the Amon Carter
22 Museum of American Art, which enjoy an international reputation, as
23 well as the popular Fort Worth Stockyards National Historical
24 District, which celebrates the city's unique Western heritage; and

1 WHEREAS, Tarrant County is home to a number of higher
2 education institutions, including The University of Texas at
3 Arlington, Texas A&M University School of Law, the University of
4 North Texas Health Science Center at Fort Worth, Tarleton State
5 University-Fort Worth, and the UT Arlington Research Institute,
6 which aims to become a global leader in advanced manufacturing,
7 medical technologies, applied robotics, and environmental
8 engineering; in addition, Texas Christian University in Fort Worth
9 continues to build on its long tradition of excellence, and Tarrant
10 County College offers residents outstanding, affordable
11 educational opportunities; and

12 WHEREAS, This North Texas county boasts a diversified economy
13 and benefits from the presence of major employers such as American
14 Airlines, whose headquarters is located in Fort Worth, Lockheed
15 Martin, and Bell Helicopter; its thriving business community is
16 served by organizations, including local chambers of commerce, that
17 are working to promote economic growth and foster a supportive
18 climate for business; and

19 WHEREAS, The citizens of Tarrant County are committed to
20 honoring their rich and colorful history while building an even
21 brighter future for the generations to come, and it is a privilege
22 to recognize their industry, their achievements, and their public
23 spirit; now, therefore, be it

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1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas
2 Legislature hereby recognize March 22 and 23, 2023, as Tarrant
3 County Days at the State Capitol and extend a warm welcome to the
4 visiting delegation.

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Phelan	Guerra	Murr
Allen	Guillen	Neave Criado
Allison	Harless	Noble
Anchía	Harris of Anderson	Oliverson
Anderson	Harris of Williamson	Ordaz
Ashby	Harrison	Orr
Bailes	Hayes	Ortega
Bell of Kaufman	Hefner	Patterson
Bell of Montgomery	Hernandez	Paul
Bernal	Herrero	Perez
Bhojani	Hinojosa	Plesa
Bonnen	Holland	Price
Bowers	Howard	Ramos
Bryant	Hull	Raney
Buckley	Hunter	Raymond
Bucy	Isaac	Reynolds
Bumgarner	Jetton	Rogers
Burns	Johnson of Dallas	Romero, Jr.
Burrows	A. Johnson of Harris	Rose
Button	J. Johnson of Harris	Rosenthal
Cain	Jones of Dallas	Schaefer
Campos	Jones of Harris	Schatzline
Canales	Kacal	Schofield
Capriglione	King of Hemphill	Shaheen
Clardy	King of Uvalde	Sherman, Sr.
Cole	Kitzman	Shine
Collier	Klick	Slaton
Cook	Kuempel	Slawson
Cortez	Lalani	Smith
Craddick	Lambert	Smithee
Cunningham	Landgraf	Spiller
Darby	Leach	Stucky
Davis	Leo-Wilson	Swanson
Dean	Longoria	Talarico
DeAyala	Lopez of Bexar	Tepper
Dorazio	Lopez of Cameron	Thierry
Dutton	Lozano	Thimesch
Flores	Lujan	Thompson of Brazoria
Frank	Manuel	Thompson of Harris
Frazier	Martinez	Tinderholt
Gamez	Martinez Fischer	Toth
Garcia	Metcalf	Troxclair
Gates	Meyer	Turner
Gerdes	Meza	VanDeaver
Geren	Moody	Vasut
Gervin-Hawkins	Morales of Harris	Vo
Goldman	Morales of Maverick	Walle
González of Dallas	Morales Shaw	Wilson
González of El Paso	Morrison	Wu
Goodwin	Muñoz, Jr.	Zwiener

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 630 was adopted by the House on March 23, 2023, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House