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H.R. No. 654

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Members of the Texas Humane Legislation Network are
2 gathering at the State Capitol on March 23, 2023; and

3 WHEREAS, Founded by Texans for Texas Animals in 1975, the
4 Texas Humane Legislation Network strives to protect animals through
5 advocacy and education initiatives; the organization is composed of
6 more than 27,000 members and donors, including animal shelter and
7 rescue workers and law enforcement personnel, and is led by a board
8 of directors encompassing a variety of animal law experts; and

9 WHEREAS, A nonpartisan entity, THLN collaborates with
10 elected officials in seeking enforceable anti-cruelty measures;
11 its members also work closely with stakeholders such as
12 veterinarians, shelter and sanctuary directors, animal control
13 officers, and prosecutors and judges at the local, state, and
14 federal levels; and

15 WHEREAS, For nearly half a century, THLN has worked
16 tirelessly to improve the welfare of animals throughout the Lone
17 Star State, and all those associated with the organization are
18 indeed deserving of commendation for their myriad contributions;
19 now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas
21 Legislature hereby recognize March 23, 2023, as Texas Humane
22 Legislation Network Day at the State Capitol and extend a warm
23 welcome to the visiting delegation; and, be it further

24 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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1 prepared for THLN as an expression of high regard by the Texas House
2 of Representatives.