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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Capital Metropolitan Transportation Authority
2 celebrated its 40th anniversary on July 1, 2025, and this occasion
3 provides a fitting opportunity to recognize the agency for its
4 vital contributions to the Austin area; and

5 WHEREAS, Created by a public vote on January 19, 1985,
6 CapMetro began operations on July 1 of that year; the agency is
7 funded in part by a one percent sales tax paid by the residents of
8 its 549-square-mile area, which includes Austin, Leander, Point
9 Venture, Manor, Lago Vista, Jonestown, and San Leanna; and

10 WHEREAS, CapMetro offers a variety of transit options to
11 serve the needs of commuters, including traditional fixed-route
12 bus, park-and-ride, bike-share, and paratransit services as well as
13 a hybrid rail system; transporting about 90,500 passengers each
14 weekday, CapMetro utilizes a fleet of 416 buses, 55 rapid vehicles,
15 49 pickup vehicles, 10 diesel electric trains, 94 vanpools, 181
16 paratransit vehicles, and 76 bike-share stations; and

17 WHEREAS, True to its mission, CapMetro provides a system of
18 innovative, reliable, safe, and environmentally sustainable
19 mobility options that contribute to the quality of life and
20 economic vitality in the region, and it is indispensable to the
21 transportation infrastructure in Austin and beyond; now,
22 therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 89th Texas
24 Legislature, 2nd Called Session, hereby commemorate the 40th

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1 anniversary of the Capital Metropolitan Transportation Authority
2 and extend to the agency sincere best wishes for continued success;
3 and, be it further

4 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
5 prepared for CapMetro as an expression of high regard by the Texas
6 House of Representatives.