## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, The members of the TechnoWizards robotics team have
- 2 distinguished themselves through their success at numerous FIRST
- 3 Tech Challenge events and their service to the San Antonio
- 4 community; and
- 5 WHEREAS, The FIRST Tech Challenge empowers students to
- 6 design, build, program, and operate robots while fostering
- 7 essential STEM skills and soft skills such as teamwork,
- 8 communication, and problem-solving; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Established in 2015, the TechnoWizards encompass
- 10 students from San Antonio public high schools, charter schools, and
- 11 home schools; they have participated in dozens of competitions,
- 12 including the FIRST in Texas FTC State Championship, the
- 13 FiT-Central Area Championship, and the TX-Central Regional
- 14 Championship; the team has been consistently ranked in the top 50 in
- 15 the world in recent years, and at the 2022-2023 FIRST World
- 16 Championship in Houston, the group earned second place in the
- 17 prestigious Think Award category in the Ochoa Division; and
- 18 WHEREAS, Over the years, the members of the TechnoWizards
- 19 have served their community by promoting the importance of STEM
- 20 skills among area youth, sharing their technical knowledge, and
- 21 volunteering to support nonprofit organizations; they have also
- 22 organized a summer robot camp for elementary school students that
- 23 takes place at The University of Texas at San Antonio and have held
- 24 a robotics technical conference that brings together FTC teams from

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- 1 around the globe; and
- WHEREAS, Ably guided by coaches Liqun Jin, Xing Tao, Jason
- 3 Olkowski, and Yufang Jin and founding coach James Lewey, the
- 4 community-based team includes Ilias Bari, Jerry He, Justin Jin,
- 5 Vincent Liu, James Lu, Parker Olkowski, Adity Rao, Alejandro
- 6 Saucedo, Eduardo Saucedo, Augustine Taboabo, Sebestiano Taboabo,
- 7 Dylan Xie, Isabel Xue, and Angela Zhang; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Since the team's founding, the members of the
- 9 TechnoWizards have demonstrated tremendous skill, initiative, and
- 10 dedication, and they are a source of great pride to the San Antonio
- 11 community; now, therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 89th Texas
- 13 Legislature hereby congratulate the members of the TechnoWizards
- 14 robotics team on their achievements and extend to them sincere best
- 15 wishes for the future; and, be it further
- RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 17 prepared for the TechnoWizards as an expression of high regard by
- 18 the Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 261 was adopted by the House on March 6, 2025, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House