

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Proud residents of Sullivan City are gathering in
2 Austin on March 6, 2025, to celebrate Sullivan City Day at the State
3 Capitol; and

4 WHEREAS, Located alongside the Rio Grande in the southwestern
5 portion of Hidalgo County, Sullivan City was founded in 1908; it was
6 named for Captain Ed Sullivan, who owned a ranch in the area that
7 later became a loading station on the Missouri Pacific Railroad; at
8 the end of the 20th century, the town's population totaled more than
9 2,300; and

10 WHEREAS, Today, Sullivan City is home to nearly 4,000 people,
11 and its economy benefits from the educational services, health
12 care, and retail industries; neighboring communities include
13 Harlingen, McAllen, and Reynosa, Mexico, and residents and visitors
14 alike enjoy nearby attractions such as the National Butterfly
15 Center, the McAllen Heritage Center, and Fordyce Nature and Hiking
16 Trails; and

17 WHEREAS, In addition, the community is ably led by its city
18 council, which includes mayor Alma Dalia Salinas, mayor pro tem
19 Ramon Moreno, and members Rene Peña, Nicholas Cerdá, and Ruben
20 Villalon, as well as city manager Richard Ozuna; and

21 WHEREAS, The citizens of Sullivan City are working to
22 preserve the best of their past while building a future of expanding
23 opportunity, and it is indeed fitting to honor them for their unique
24 contributions to the Lone Star State; now, therefore, be it

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1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 89th Texas
2 Legislature hereby recognize March 6, 2025, as Sullivan City Day at
3 the State Capitol and extend a warm welcome to the visiting
4 delegation.

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H.R. No. 287

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 287 was adopted by the House on March 6, 2025, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House