By: Garcia of Dallas

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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Proud representatives of the Dallas Independent

School District are gathering in Austin on February 26, 2025, to

3 take part in Dallas ISD Day at the State Capitol; and

4 WHEREAS, Serving a diverse population of approximately

140,000 students at 240 campuses, Dallas ISD is the second-largest

6 school district in Texas; the district is committed to its mission

7 of "Educating all students for success," and its nearly 23,000

8 faculty and staff members work tirelessly to foster a supportive

9 and challenging educational environment; and

10 WHEREAS, In recent years, Dallas ISD has been recognized for

11 the significant improvements it has made in academic performance,

12 and its high schools currently rank among the top 10 percent of

13 Texas high schools; the number of Dallas ISD students taking and

scoring 3 or higher on Advanced Placement exams has increased

15 during each of the last six years, and the district's graduation

16 rate has consistently improved; in addition, its continuing efforts

17 to promote college and career readiness resulted in district

18 schools surpassing area charter schools on last year's STAAR test;

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20 WHEREAS, Recognizing the demand for expanded educational

21 opportunities, Dallas ISD has significantly increased access to

22 pre-kindergarten classes and launched 150 two-way dual language

23 programs and 25 P-TECHS and collegiate academies; since 2015,

24 Dallas ISD has also invested over \$2 billion in renovations,

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- 1 additions, and other improvements to its campuses, efforts that
- 2 reflect the district's dedication to providing students with
- 3 modern, state-of-the-art learning spaces where they are equipped
- 4 with the knowledge and skills to succeed in today's
- 5 technology-driven global society; and
- 6 WHEREAS, The faculty, staff, administration, and students of
- 7 Dallas ISD are building on a proud legacy of educational excellence
- 8 and innovation, and it is fitting to acknowledge the meaningful
- 9 contributions the district has made to the future of its community
- 10 and the state at large; now, therefore, be it
- 11 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 89th Texas
- 12 Legislature hereby recognize February 26, 2025, as Dallas
- 13 Independent School District Day at the State Capitol and extend to
- 14 the visiting delegation sincere best wishes for an enjoyable and
- 15 productive event.