

By: Parker

S.C.R. No. 18

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The Town of Trophy Club has demonstrated an exceptional commitment to fostering patriotism among its citizenry; and

WHEREAS, In 1985, the year of its incorporation, Trophy Club raised the American flag at the intersection of State Highway 114 and Trophy Club Drive; this location at the entrance to the town had hosted Independence Day celebrations carried out by local families since the early 1970s; today, the flag continues to fly at the site, a proud symbol of the town residents' love of country; Old Glory is also displayed daily at seven other civic spaces thanks to the efforts of the Trophy Club Fire Department, and every Fourth of July, the Stars & Stripes Committee places flags along every street in town; and

WHEREAS, Trophy Club originated as a small, golf-centric retreat that quickly became home to numerous Dallas-area executives and retirees; over the years, the master-planned town has grown into a lively residential community with more than 14,000 residents; the population is deeply engaged in community-oriented activities, including school functions, church services, and the meetings of town advisory groups, clubs, and other organizations; local events such as the Medal of Honor Motorcade Celebration, Patriot Day Ceremony, and Memorial Day Ceremony are designed to bring people together, strengthen bonds, and encourage a spirit of

1 service among citizens of all ages; and

2 WHEREAS, In 2014, Trophy Club adopted a logo that reflects
3 the town's deep sense of patriotism, and its red, white, and blue
4 design features a star as a key element; the town has given its
5 public spaces such names as Independence Park, Freedom Dog Park,
6 and Harmony Park, signaling a love of liberty and unity and a
7 respect for those who have served in the nation's military;
8 Veteran's Memorial Park, located on land donated by the town, was
9 established by the Trophy Club Women's Club and is maintained by the
10 town in association with the Metroport Veterans Association; other
11 patriotic civic groups include the Honor Our Wounded Military
12 Foundation and Trophy Club Rotary; and

13 WHEREAS, Since its inception, the Town of Trophy Club has set
14 an inspiring example by making patriotism a centerpiece of
15 community life and civic engagement, and its efforts deserve to be
16 duly recognized; now, therefore, be it

17 RESOLVED, That the 89th Legislature of the State of Texas
18 hereby designate the Town of Trophy Club as the official Texas Town
19 of Patriotism; and, be it further

20 RESOLVED, That, in accordance with the provisions of
21 Section 391.003(e), Government Code, this designation remain in
22 effect until the 10th anniversary of the date this resolution is
23 finally passed by the legislature.