SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 120

WHEREAS, The counties of Bowie, Cass, Delta, Franklin, Hopkins, Lamar, Morris, Red River, and Titus make up the Northeast Texas Regional Alliance; and

WHEREAS, Sharing many significant social and economic characteristics, the member counties of the coalition are united in their efforts to further the vitality and prosperity of the region; and

WHEREAS, The coalition's rural counties are an important transportation gateway, and the organization is dedicated to keeping freight moving, advancing rural broadband, and stimulating opportunities for innovation; in addition, the alliance facilitates cooperation in all areas of regional and workforce planning, supporting the retention and creation of jobs, as well as increased opportunities for education; and

WHEREAS, Through its initiatives, the alliance advocates for area colleges and universities and for the parks and trails that enhance the quality of life in the region; it also promotes careful stewardship of monetary and natural resources; and

WHEREAS, This noteworthy organization is helping to make Northeast Texas an even stronger and more vibrant place to live and work, and it is indeed fitting to recognize the alliance for its essential contributions; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 89th Legislature, hereby recognize February 19, 2025, as Northeast Texas Regional Alliance Day at the State Capitol and extend to the visiting delegation sincere best wishes for a meaningful and memorable stay in Austin.

Hughes

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on February 19, 2025.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate