
Congratulatory And Memorial Calendar
Friday, March 28, 2025
9:00 AM

***** CONGRATULATORY RESOLUTIONS *****

HR 33 Lalani
Recognizing April 2, 2025, as World Autism Awareness Day.

HR 138 Johnson
Congratulating Susan Christian on her retirement as director of the Houston Mayor's Office of Special Events.

HR 200 Guerra
Congratulating Amelia "Molly" Bluhm on her retirement from Tropical Texas Behavioral Health.

HR 243 Darby
Honoring Shelley Smith on her retirement as CEO of West Texas Centers in Big Spring.

HR 267 Garcia Hernandez, Cassandra
Recognizing February 12, 2025, as Texas Trial Lawyers Association Women's Caucus Lobby Day at the State Capitol.

HR 307 Oliverson
Congratulating Dr. Debra Patt on receiving the Physician Advocacy Champion Award from the U.S. Oncology Network.

HR 353 Plesa
Recognizing February 25, 2025, as University of North Texas Day at the State Capitol.

HR 383 Howard
Recognizing March 4, 2025, as Nurse Day at the State Capitol.

HR 443 Oliverson
Recognizing March 4, 2025, as Legislative Advocacy Day for the Texas Society of Gastroenterology and Endoscopy at the State Capitol.

HR 446 Simmons
Commending the Teen and Police Service Academy of Houston.

HR 449 Leach
Commending the North Texas Warrior Golf Association for its contributions to area military veterans.

HR 451 Reynolds
Honoring the Missouri City Mayor's Youth Commission.

HR 453 Spiller
Recognizing April 29, 2025, as Jack County Day at the State Capitol.

HR 457 Manuel
Recognizing March 6, 2025, as Texas Prevention Network Day at the State Capitol.

HR 459 Lambert
Recognizing April 2025 as Parkinson's Awareness Month.

HR 460 Davis, Yvonne
Honoring Pastor Joshua LeBetts Pryor for his service as Pastor of the Day on March 19, 2025.

HR 461 Harless
Honoring native Texan and musician and actor Lyle Lovett.

HR 462 Hinojosa
Congratulating Bishop Joe S. Vásquez on his installation as archbishop of Galveston-Houston.

HR 464 Guillen
Recognizing March 6, 2025, as Floresville Day at the State Capitol.

HR 466 Fairly
Congratulating Kristi Leff of Amarillo ISD on being named the 2025 Texas Elementary Teacher of the Year by the Texas Association of School Administrators.

HR 467 Bucy
Congratulating Chris Mihealsick on her selection as the 2025 Texas Teacher of the Year.

HR 474 Kerwin
Honoring the Taoiseach of Ireland, Micheál Martin TD, on the occasion of his visit to Texas.

HR 475 Morales, Christina
Honoring Officers James Montero, José Selvera Jr., Raymond Gonzalez, Cecil Mosqueda, and U. P. Hernandez of the Houston Police Department on being featured in the Chicano Squad television series.

HR 477 Johnson
Commemorating the 125th anniversary of Baylor College of Medicine.

HR 479 Spiller
Congratulating the Nocona High School girls' basketball team on winning the 2025 UIL 2A Division 1 state championship.

HR 481 Plesa
Honoring President Richard C. Benson for his service to The University of Texas at Dallas and the field of higher education.

HR 482 Simmons / Ashby / Shofner / Manuel
Honoring Winfred A. Simmons for his contributions as a school athletics coach.

HR 483 Lalani
Recognizing March 31, 2025, as House District 76 Day at the State Capitol.

HR 484 Geren
Recognizing March 12, 2025, as Wholesale Beer Distributors of Texas Day at the State Capitol.

HR 486 Bell, Cecil
Commending the Southern Regional Education Board and its Crisis Recovery Support Network for supporting schools in Texas.

HR 487 Schoolcraft
Recognizing Schertz-Cibolo-Universal City ISD for being one of the top five school districts for new National Board Certified Teachers in Texas.

HR 490 Buckley
Congratulating Dr. Charles Breithaupt on his retirement as executive director of the University Interscholastic League.

HR 491 Guillen
Honoring Live Oak County Sheriff Larry R. Busby as the longest-serving sheriff in office in the State of Texas.

HR 497 Schofield
Congratulating Annie Callegari St. Paul and Merritt St. Paul of Houston on the birth of their son, Henry Robert St. Paul.

HR 502 Meza
Recognizing March 13, 2025, as Nepalese Day at the Texas State Capitol.

HR 505 Spiller
Recognizing March 20, 2025, as De Leon ISD Day at the State Capitol.

HR 509 Zwiener
Commemorating the 125th anniversary of Texas State University.

HR 510 Zwiener
Congratulating Mariachi Nueva Generación of Texas State University on winning first place at the 2024 Mariachi Extravaganza.

HR 511 Zwiener
Commemorating the inaugural Kyle Menorah Lighting Ceremony.

HR 512 Zwiener
Congratulating Caleb Gomez of Scouts BSA Troop No. 128 in Buda on attaining the rank of Eagle Scout.

HR 513 Shaheen
Recognizing March 2025 as Theatre in Our Schools Month.

HR 515 Ashby
Recognizing the Texas Forestry Association on its seedling giveaway at the State Capitol on April 2, 2025.

HR 516 Paul
Congratulating Robert Thomas Savely on his 90th birthday.

HR 527 Cunningham
Congratulating Chief David Langenberg of Humble Fire Rescue on being named a 2025 Public Official of the Year by the University of Houston MPA program.

HR 531 Shofner
Commemorating the 88th anniversary of the New London School Explosion.

HR 532 Garcia, Josey
Congratulating Marise McDermott on her retirement as president and CEO of the Witte Museum in San Antonio.

HR 541 Fairly
Congratulating Doug Loomis on his retirement as superintendent of Amarillo ISD.

HR 542 Shofner
Recognizing March 11, 2025, as Panola County Day at the State Capitol.

HR 547 Oliverson
Congratulating the Tomball High School baseball team on winning the 2024 UIL 6A state championship.

HR 548 Hernandez
Commemorating the grand opening of Small Places' Finca Tres Robles farm.

HR 549 Hernandez
Commemorating the third annual Small Places Salsa de Mayo Festival in Houston.

HR 550 Johnson
Honoring Dr. Jennifer Keating Litton of The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center in Houston on her professional achievements.

HR 555 Paul
Honoring the Adopt A Highway Maintenance Corporation for its 10 years of dedicated service to the State of Texas.

HR 557 Morales, Eddie
Recognizing Julio's Seasoning & Corn Chips in Del Rio.

HR 564 Morales, Eddie
Honoring the United Warrior Band of the Seminole Nation/John Horse Band.

HR 568 Capriglione
Congratulating Nancy Rainosek on her retirement from the Texas Department of Information Resources.

HR 574 Guillen
Recognizing March 18, 2025, as National Agriculture Day at the State Capitol.

HR 575 Bell, Keith
Congratulating the Scurry-Rosser High School cheerleading team on winning the 3A Division II title at the 2025 UIL Spirit State Championships.

HR 576 Bell, Keith
Congratulating Graham Geisleman of Forney Taekwondo on winning a gold medal at the 2025 U.S. Open Taekwondo Championships.

HR 577 Bell, Keith
Congratulating the Crandall High School cheerleading team on winning the 5A Division II title at the 2025 UIL Spirit State Championships.

HR 578 Bell, Keith
Commemorating the 20th anniversary of Lone Star CASA's expansion into Kaufman County.

HR 580 Bell, Keith
Congratulating Taylor Jones of The University of Texas at Austin women's basketball team on being named the Southeastern Conference Player of the Week.

HR 584 Jones, Venton
Congratulating Tiara Cooper on her receipt of a 2025 Outstanding Texan Award from the Texas Legislative Black Caucus.

HR 586 Oliverson
Recognizing March 18, 2025, as Maternal Mental Health Day at the State Capitol.

HR 587 Walle
Recognizing March 18, 2025, as Boys & Girls Clubs Advocacy Day at the State Capitol.

HR 588 Jones, Venton
Congratulating Willis Johnson on receiving a 2025 Outstanding Texan Award from the Texas Legislative Black Caucus.

HR 589 Bell, Keith
Commending Mike Rentz and The Perfect Light for their commemoration of Super Bowl LIX.

HR 594 Troxclair
Congratulating Theresa Boland on her retirement from the Office of the Texas Governor.

HR 595 Troxclair
 Congratulating Colonel Thomas Clark Mohler on his retirement from the Texas State Guard.

HR 597 Garcia, Josey
 Congratulating Mary Burns Michael on receiving a 2025 Outstanding Texan Award from the Texas Legislative Black Caucus.

HR 599 Villalobos
 Congratulating Luke and Maddie Tschritter of Corpus Christi on the birth of their daughter, Finley Amariah Tschritter.

HR 606 Raymond
 Commending Bishop James Anthony Tamayo on the occasion of the 25th anniversary of the Diocese of Laredo.

HR 607 Fairly
 Commemorating the 80th anniversary of the Rita Blanca Electric Cooperative.

HR 608 Fairly
 Congratulating Children's Learning Centers of Amarillo on its 100th anniversary.

HR 609 Fairly
 Congratulating Joseph Stafford of Amarillo Tascosa High School on his selection as the 2024 Texas High School Wrestling Coach of the Year.

HR 610 Zwiener
 Congratulating Diane Insley on her retirement as director of the San Marcos Public Library.

HR 611 Dyson
 Congratulating Officer Brad Smith on his retirement from the College Station Police Department.

HR 612 Lujan / Bhojani
 Recognizing March 27, 2025, as CASA Day at the State Capitol.

HR 613 Simmons
 Congratulating Ellery A. Richard of Second Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church in Houston on his 21st pastoral anniversary.

HR 615 Romero
 Paying tribute to the life and legacy of Benito Juárez, the first Indigenous president of Mexico.

HR 616 Hefner
 Honoring Donald K. Stephens for his work as the founder and president emeritus of Mercy Ships.

HR 617 Bucy
 Commending Mike Gleason of Cedar Park for his service to Williamson County.

HR 619 Longoria
 Congratulating Diana Lerma on her induction into the Rio Grande Valley Sports Hall of Fame.

HR 620 Johnson
 Congratulating Rice University's Wiess School of Natural Sciences on its 50th anniversary.

***** MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS *****

HCR 65 Dean
 In memory of Tracy Lee Vincent of Longview.

HCR 119 Vasut
In memory of the Honorable Terrell Lynn Roberts of Angleton.

HR 434 Meyer
In memory of Abel "Billy" Martinez of Lubbock.

HR 447 Davis, Aicha
In memory of Patrick Shaw Stallings of Seagoville.

HR 450 Thompson
In memory of Princella Jewel Vogel of Houston.

HR 454 Wharton
In memory of Bremond mayor Richard "Ricky" Swick.

HR 455 Wharton
In memory of Sergeant Mark Allen Butler of the Navasota Police Department.

HR 458 Lambert
In memory of Larry Lyndon Beauchamp of Lawn.

HR 463 Dutton
In memory of Isaac T. Bryant of Houston.

HR 476 Ward Johnson
In memory of Tanya Debose of Houston.

HR 478 Spiller
In memory of Reta Gay Nance.

HR 488 Lambert
In memory of Aspen Cheyenne Blessing of Baird.

HR 489 Cole
In memory of Heath Donell Creech of Austin.

HR 492 Dyson
In memory of Edwin Hunter Harris III of Friendswood.

HR 496 Wu
In memory of Leonard Frank Iltis Jr. of Georgetown.

HR 499 Campos
In memory of Gilbert Guzman Jr.

HR 522 Zwiener
In memory of Dr. Alice Gayle Hudgens of Hays.

HR 523 Zwiener
In memory of Dr. Audwin LaBarron Anderson.

HR 524 Zwiener
In memory of Rafael "Ralph" Gonzales Jr. of San Marcos.

HR 533 Meyer
In memory of Alfred G. Mello Jr. of Dallas.

HR 534 Meyer
In memory of James Darby Walker.

HR 535 Meyer
In memory of Andrew Stephen Massimino of Dallas.

HR 536 Morales, Eddie
In memory of former Del Rio fire chief George Joe Harrington.

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In memory of William Rattay Jr. of Del Rio.

HR 539 Schofield
In memory of Paula Kay Hughes of Katy.

HR 546 Meyer
In memory of Mary Burney McMahon Markham.

HR 552 Lopez, Janie
In memory of Deputy Ruben Garcia of the Cameron County Precinct 1
Constable's Office.

HR 553 Martinez
In memory of Ruben Reyna Sr. of Weslaco.

HR 554 Martinez
In memory of Olga Rodriguez of Alamo.

HR 556 Guillen
In memory of Jacob Creth "Jake" Fuller of McAllen.

HR 579 Bell, Keith
In memory of Vertis O'Neal Storey of Kaufman.

HR 582 Wharton
In memory of Eugene Bothe of Brenham.

HR 598 Morales, Christina
In memory of the Honorable James Earl Carter Jr., 39th president of the
United States.