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S.C.R. No. 51

1                                    SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

2            WHEREAS, Chapter 448, Government Code, provides for the  
3 establishment of a Juneteenth memorial monument on the grounds of  
4 the State Capitol, and the State Preservation Board approved the  
5 location of the monument at its meeting held on February 14, 2003;  
6 and

7            WHEREAS, Rather than limiting the focus of the monument to  
8 the commemoration of Juneteenth, the legislature supports the  
9 establishment of a monument to celebrate the contributions of  
10 African American Texans to the history of this state at the location  
11 previously approved for a Juneteenth monument; now, therefore, be  
12 it

13            RESOLVED, That the 82nd Legislature of the State of Texas  
14 hereby express support for the establishment of a monument to  
15 African American Texans on the grounds of the State Capitol at the  
16 location approved for a Juneteenth monument by the State  
17 Preservation Board in 2003; and, be it further

18            RESOLVED, That the secretary of state forward an official  
19 copy of this resolution to the executive director and members of the  
20 State Preservation Board.

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David Newkum  
President of the Senate

Joe Straus  
Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that S.C.R. No. 51 was adopted by the Senate on May 19, 2011, by a viva-voce vote.

Ratney Paul  
Secretary of the Senate

I hereby certify that S.C.R. No. 51 was adopted by the House on May 23, 2011, by the following vote: Yeas 142, Nays 0, one present not voting.

Robert Hancy  
Chief Clerk of the House

Approved:

17 JUN '11  
Date

RICK PERRY  
Governor

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