

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 338

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize the Lipan Apache Band of Texas, the Fort Clark Springs Association, and the other participants representing Forts Concho, Lancaster, Stockton, and McKavett on the occasion of the historical reenactment of the Live Oak Treaty of 1838, which is taking place at Fort Clark Springs on March 4, 2011; and

WHEREAS, The Live Oak Treaty of 1838 pledged peace and perpetual friendship between the people of Texas and the Lipan Apaches; signed by Republic of Texas President Sam Houston on January 8, 1838, this pact holds a place of profound importance among the Lipan Apache Band of Texas; and

WHEREAS, The Lipan Apache Band of Texas continues to practice its tribal traditions; members use ceremonial dress and music to uphold tribal customs and pay tribute to their history; and

WHEREAS, This historical reenactment will serve to help educate the people of Texas about the many important contributions the Lipan Apaches have made to the rich cultural legacy of our state; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 82nd Legislature, hereby commend the members of the Lipan Apache Band of Texas for their commitment to their heritage and extend to all participants best wishes for a memorable reenactment of the signing of the Live Oak Treaty of 1838; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared as a memento of this special occasion.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on February 22, 2011.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate