## Florida House of Representatives - 2002 By Representative Greenstein

House Resolution 1 2 A resolution recognizing the City of Coconut Creek as the home of Butterfly World, the 3 world's largest butterfly habitat. 4 5 WHEREAS, the City of Coconut Creek, Florida, has long 6 7 been an advocate for conservation and environmental measures and is well known for its lush landscaping and preservation of 8 9 natural wildlife habitats, and WHEREAS, the City of Coconut Creek is the proud home of 10 Butterfly World, one of Florida's leading tourist attractions, 11 which houses within 2.8 breathtaking acres of screened aviary 12 13 gardens more than five thousand spectacular butterflies from 14 around the world, including South and Central America, the Philippines, Malaysia, Taiwan, and other Asian nations, and 15 16 WHEREAS, this unique, interactive habitat, featuring an 17 educational research laboratory, a museum, and botanical gardens, showcases the world's most beautiful tropical plants 18 19 and is the largest center of its kind in the world, and WHEREAS, the City of Coconut Creek and Butterfly World 20 are partners in promoting an active interest in the 21 22 environment and in the beauty of the natural world in which we 23 live, NOW, THEREFORE, 24 25 Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of 26 Florida: 27 28 That the City of Coconut Creek is hereby recognized as 29 home to the largest butterfly habitat in the world. 30 31

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