

1 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 83
 2 INTRODUCED BY NATURAL RESOURCES COMMITTEE

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 5 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MONTANA REQUESTING THE
 6 CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO APPROPRIATE MONEYS FOR THE
 7 COMPLETE RECONSTRUCTION OF FORT UNION TRADING POST.

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