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H.R. No. 1784

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Sara Long was installed as president of the Woman's
2 Club of El Paso on May 3, 2023; and

3 WHEREAS, Founded in 1894, the Woman's Club of El Paso is
4 dedicated to the betterment of the community; it offers monthly
5 opportunities for education and cultural enrichment, and members
6 also work to preserve their historic clubhouse; and

7 WHEREAS, Sara Long has been active in the club since 2008, and
8 for the past eight years, she has benefited the group as program
9 chair; from 2022 to 2023, she served with distinction as
10 president-elect; and

11 WHEREAS, A retired educator, Mrs. Long was born and raised in
12 Denver City; she studied piano, voice, and acting as a girl and
13 attended Sul Ross State University, where she earned a bachelor's
14 degree in music with a major in piano and a minor in voice; and

15 WHEREAS, Mrs. Long enjoyed a 31-year career as a vocal music
16 director for students of all levels in the Clint and Socorro
17 Independent School Districts; over the years, she served as a vocal
18 and choral music adjudicator for UIL competitions, and she was an
19 accompanist for contest choirs as well; she was also a guest
20 conductor for the Ysleta ISD Honor Choirs; for 14 Years, she was the
21 director of music ministries at Vista Ysleta United Methodist
22 Church; and

23 WHEREAS, Today, Mrs. Long continues to teach piano and voice
24 privately; in all her endeavors, she is supported by the love and

1 encouragement of her husband of 50 years, Allen Long, a fellow
2 retired educator; they have been blessed with three children,
3 Allyson, Andrea, and AJ, as well as seven grandchildren; and

4 WHEREAS, Sara Long has demonstrated a strong commitment to
5 the mission of the Woman's Club of El Paso, and her new role will
6 allow her to make even greater contributions to the community; now,
7 therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas
9 Legislature hereby congratulate Sara Long on her installation as
10 president of the Woman's Club of El Paso and extend to her sincere
11 best wishes for a successful tenure in office; and, be it further

12 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
13 prepared for Mrs. Long as an expression of high regard by the Texas
14 House of Representatives.