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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, A rich and purposeful life drew to a close with the
- 2 passing of Sharon Lillian McCormack of Prosper on June 20, 2022, at
- 3 the age of 80; and
- 4 WHEREAS, The former Sharon Bennett was born to Archie and
- 5 Lillian Bennett in Santa Monica, California, on January 21, 1942,
- 6 and she grew up on a farm in Vernon Center, Minnesota, with the
- 7 companionship of a brother, Larry; in 1963, she was joined in
- 8 matrimony to Clark McCormack, with whom she shared a fulfilling
- 9 union that spanned 58 years; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Mrs. McCormack earned a degree in home economics
- 11 from Mankato State University, and she went on to work as a teacher
- 12 in Madelia, Minnesota; she later moved with her husband to
- 13 Michigan, Illinois, and Ohio before settling in Texas; and
- 14 WHEREAS, This beloved woman was the proud mother of three
- 15 children, Mitchell, Jill, and Kevin, and with the passing years,
- 16 she had the pleasure of seeing her family grow to include four
- 17 grandchildren, Mitch, Dylan, Bailey, and Nico; and
- 18 WHEREAS, Engaged in her community, Mrs. McCormack was a
- 19 passionate supporter of the Republican Party, and she held various
- 20 positions in the organization, including election judge and
- 21 precinct chair; she was active in the party at the local, state, and
- 22 national levels, and she had the honor of attending two
- 23 presidential inaugurations; a woman of faith, she was a valued
- 24 congregant of First United Methodist Church in Gainesville; and

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- 1 WHEREAS, Although Sharon McCormack is greatly missed,
- 2 memories of her grace, her joyous zest for life, and her deep
- 3 devotion to her family remain to comfort and inspire those she
- 4 leaves behind; now, therefore, be it
- 5 RESOLVED, That the Senate of the 88th Texas Legislature
- 6 hereby pay tribute to the life of Sharon Lillian McCormack and
- 7 extend sincere condolences to all who mourn her passing; and, be it
- 8 further
- 9 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 10 prepared for her family and that when the Texas Senate adjourns this
- 11 day, it do so in memory of Sharon McCormack.