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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Karla Garza of VMK Concrete has distinguished
2 herself through her professional achievements; and

3 WHEREAS, Mrs. Garza and her husband, Victor, established VMK
4 Concrete in 2023, and under their able leadership, the business has
5 grown to become a successful ready-mix concrete supplier in the Rio
6 Grande Valley; today, VMK companies encompass five enterprises and
7 100 employees; and

8 WHEREAS, A pioneering figure in the concrete industry,
9 Mrs. Garza was elected to the Texas Aggregates & Concrete
10 Association board of directors in 2024, and she has been nominated
11 to the National Ready Mixed Concrete Association board, becoming
12 the first Hispanic woman to realize those accomplishments; in
13 addition, she has served as director of suppliers for the Rio Grande
14 Valley Chapter of the Associated General Contractors of America;
15 and

16 WHEREAS, Mrs. Garza has been involved in numerous community
17 projects, including mentorship programs for young women pursuing
18 careers in construction; she has also played an instrumental role
19 in establishing the VMK Concrete scholarship initiatives, which
20 support students in high school and college; and

21 WHEREAS, In recognition of her efforts, Mrs. Garza was named
22 the Architecture/Engineering/Construction Woman of the Year at the
23 2024 Luna Awards ceremony hosted by the Regional Hispanic
24 Contractors Association; she is a first-generation college

1 graduate and an alumna of the Texas A&M University Mays Business
2 School; and

3 WHEREAS, Karla Garza has set an inspiring example of
4 leadership in her field and in her community, and the citizens of
5 the Rio Grande Valley are indeed fortunate to count her among their
6 fellow residents; now, therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 89th Texas
8 Legislature hereby commend Karla Garza for her professional
9 achievements and extend to her sincere best wishes for continued
10 success; and, be it further

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