

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Admired educator Sallye R. Moore of Grand Prairie
2 passed away on April 15, 2025, at the age of 91; and

3 WHEREAS, The daughter of Edward and Lillie Mae Johnson, the
4 former Sallye Johnson was born in Waco on May 30, 1933, and she grew
5 up with the companionship of three younger siblings, Eddie, Lee,
6 and Carl; after graduating from Paul Quinn College at the age of 19,
7 she began teaching in Slaton; during this period, she married
8 Vandine Moore, and they were blessed with a son, Gregory; the
9 devoted couple shared a fulfilling marriage of 70 years until
10 Mr. Moore's death in 2023; and

11 WHEREAS, Mrs. Moore taught high school English, social
12 studies, and history at the all-Black Dalworth School in Grand
13 Prairie and eventually earned her master of education degree from
14 Prairie View A&M University; following integration, she served as a
15 teacher and counselor at Grand Prairie High School; she went on to
16 become principal of Dalworth Elementary School, where she
17 established honors, early childhood, and special education
18 programs, as well as others; she was later named director of
19 curriculum and instruction for the Grand Prairie Independent School
20 District and rose to associate superintendent; throughout more than
21 four decades in education, Mrs. Moore was a tireless champion of
22 students, encouraging them to follow their dreams; and

23 WHEREAS, Mrs. Moore also benefited the wider community by
24 serving as chair of the Grand Prairie Civil Service Commission and

1 as president of both the Grand Prairie Federation of Women's Clubs
2 and the Grand Prairie Park Board; in addition, she was a founding
3 member of the Mid-Cities Chapter of the Links, Incorporated, and an
4 active member of Soroptomist International of Grand Prairie and of
5 the Beta Mu Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority; a woman of
6 faith, she served St. John Church in numerous capacities; in 2001,
7 Grand Prairie ISD named an elementary campus in her honor, and her
8 many accolades included the 1991 Leadership Award from the Texas
9 Council of Women School Executives, the 1985 Citizen of the Year
10 Award from the Chamber of Commerce, and a Distinguished Alumni
11 award from Waco ISD; and

12 WHEREAS, Sallye Moore enriched the lives of innumerable
13 people through her professional and civic contributions, and
14 although she is deeply missed, she will forever be a source of
15 inspiration to those she leaves behind; now, therefore, be it

16 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 89th Texas
17 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of Sallye R. Moore and
18 extend sincere sympathy to the members of her family: to her son,
19 Gregory Dean Moore Sr. and his wife, Juna Jones-Moore; to her
20 grandsons, Gregory Dean Moore II and his wife, Lorena Lopez Moore,
21 and Preston Andrew Moore; to her great-grandchildren, Clara Laniah
22 Moore, Cameron Preston Moore, and Cortez Miguel Moore; and to her
23 many other relatives and friends; and, be it further

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1 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
2 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of
3 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Sallye
4 Moore.

Y. Davis of Dallas
Turner

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Allen	Harless	Muñoz
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Bell of Kaufman	Hayes	Ordaz
Bell of Montgomery	Hefner	Orr
Bernal	Hernandez	Patterson
Bhojani	Hickland	Paul
Bonnen	Hinojosa	Perez of El Paso
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Bryant	Hopper	Phelan
Buckley	Howard	Pierson
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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 906 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on April 24, 2025.

Chief Clerk of the House