

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1           WHEREAS, The exceptional efforts of Nancy McKinley to  
2 preserve the history of Midland and the Permian Basin have enriched  
3 countless lives within her community and throughout the Lone Star  
4 State; and

5           WHEREAS, A West Texas native, Mrs. McKinley has been a member  
6 of the Midland County Historical Society since the early 1950s and  
7 currently serves as its president; she is also chair of the Midland  
8 County Historical Commission and a member of the Daughters of the  
9 Republic of Texas; and

10           WHEREAS, This highly esteemed woman has worked  
11 wholeheartedly to protect and preserve the historical fabric of the  
12 area where she was born and raised; to that end, one of her premier  
13 achievements has been the restoration of the turn-of-the-century  
14 Z. Taylor Brown-Sarah Dorsey Medallion Home and preservation of the  
15 venerable mulberry tree that graces its lawn; and

16           WHEREAS, Thanks to her perseverance and hard work, a number  
17 of noteworthy Midland structures have received Texas Historical  
18 Commission markers, including the First National Bank Building, the  
19 T. S. Hogan Petroleum Building, and the Yucca Theatre; her efforts  
20 have also helped to secure the Midland County Historical Museum,  
21 which she serves as curator; and

22           WHEREAS, Nancy McKinley has taken a leading role in ensuring  
23 that the heritage of Midland is preserved for future generations,  
24 and through her unwavering commitment to that cause, she has won the

1 deep appreciation and affection of her community; now, therefore,  
2 be it

3       RESOLVED, That the 78th Legislature of the State of Texas,  
4 1st Called Session, hereby commend Nancy McKinley on her priceless  
5 contributions to historic preservation in the Lone Star State and  
6 extend to her sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

7       RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
8 prepared for Mrs. McKinley as an expression of high regard by the  
9 Texas House of Representatives and Senate.

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President of the Senate

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.C.R. No. 3 was adopted by the House on July 18, 2003, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.C.R. No. 3 was adopted by the Senate on July 24, 2003, by a viva-voce vote.

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Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

Date

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Governor