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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, A 60th wedding anniversary is truly cause for  
2 celebration, and on June 28, 2003, Austin and Rosa Lee Woods of  
3 Longview marked this momentous occasion in their marriage with a  
4 family gathering at the Brushy Creek Campground at Lake O' the  
5 Pines; and

6           WHEREAS, Joined in marriage on July 7, 1943, in Ada,  
7 Oklahoma, at Oak Avenue Baptist Church, Mr. Woods and the former  
8 Rosa Lee Gargis have long enjoyed a warm and rewarding relationship  
9 based on a solid foundation of mutual love, trust, and respect; they  
10 are richly blessed with a close-knit family, including children,  
11 Linda, Jackie, Charles, Carl, Robert, and Jerry Woods, and Betty  
12 Swanson, and their family has grown to include 24 grandchildren and  
13 34 great-grandchildren; and

14           WHEREAS, Highly regarded residents of their community, the  
15 couple are valued congregants of New Life Baptist Church; and

16           WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Woods have shared the trials and  
17 triumphs of six decades together, and it is most fitting that they  
18 be honored for their enduring union; now, therefore, be it

19           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas  
20 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby congratulate Austin and  
21 Rosa Lee Woods on the joyous occasion of their 60th wedding  
22 anniversary and extend to them sincere best wishes for continued  
23 happiness; and, be it further

24           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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1 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Woods as an expression of high regard by  
2 the Texas House of Representatives.