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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, June 7, 2003, marks the 50th wedding anniversary of 2 Bob and Betty Stewart of Bedford, and this significant milestone is 3 most deserving of special recognition; and

WHEREAS, The Stewarts met while attending Buchanan Street Baptist Church in Amarillo, and they began their life together as husband and wife with the exchange of their wedding vows on June 7, 1953; and

8 WHEREAS, Over the ensuing years, they have shared a close and 9 fulfilling relationship that has been made even richer through the 10 expansion of their family, which includes three sons, Leslie Allen 11 Stewart, Paul Wesley Stewart, and Douglas Warren Stewart, as well 12 as six cherished grandchildren, Adam Paul Stewart, Cameron Wesley 13 Stewart, Kyle Anthony Stewart, Jonathon Aaron Stewart, Hayleigh 14 Marie Gibson, and Savannah Nicohl Stewart; and

WHEREAS, A native of Simpson, Louisiana, Mr. Stewart served 15 in West Germany as a member of the United States Air Force during 16 the Korean War, and he eventually retired from the Federal Aviation 17 18 Administration after 34 years of employment; he has also been active in Republican Party politics and was a legislative staff 19 member for former State Representative Carolyn Park during the 71st 20 21 Legislative Session; Mrs. Stewart was born in Clarendon, Texas, and 22 has been a devoted homemaker and involved in community activities 23 throughout the couple's marriage; and

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WHEREAS, Over the course of their five decades together, the

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1 Stewarts have demonstrated a deep commitment to one another, to 2 their family, and to the institution of marriage, and it is a 3 privilege to join in honoring their enduring union at this time; 4 now, therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, That the 78th Legislature of the State of Texas 6 hereby congratulate Bob and Betty Stewart on the joyous occasion of 7 their golden wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best 8 wishes for continued happiness; and, be it further

9 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 10 prepared for the Stewarts as an expression of high regard by the 11 Texas House of Representatives and Senate.

> Smith of Tarrant Truitt

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President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.C.R. No. 262 was adopted by the House on May 24, 2003, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.C.R. No. 262 was adopted by the Senate on May 29, 2003, by a viva-voce vote.

Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: _____

Date

Governor