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## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The passing of Carol Jean Deering on April 17, 2002, brought great sorrow to the family and friends of this beloved woman; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Deering was born on June 13, 1944, in Ironton, Ohio, the daughter of proud parents Carl and Juanita Meyers; she grew up with five siblings in a loving home where her mother and father placed emphasis on family and faith; and

8 WHEREAS, Shortly after graduating from St. Joseph's Catholic 9 High School, she married William Deering, her husband of nearly 40 10 years; in 1975, the couple moved to Texas and made a home in 11 Angleton; and

12 WHEREAS, A woman who cherished her faith and family, Mrs. 13 Deering was actively involved with Holy Trinity Catholic Church and 14 was a member of the Catholic Daughters; she was a proud and devoted 15 mother who nurtured and sustained her children with loving care, 16 insight, and wisdom; and

WHEREAS, This warm and gracious woman was a beloved friend to many and, while she will be missed, her spirit will live on in the hearts and minds of the people with whom she shared her life; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Carol Jean Deering and extend deepest sympathy to the members of her family: to her husband, Bill Deering; to her children and their spouses, Debra and

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John Obenhaus, William and Sandra Deering, and John E. Deering; to her grandchildren, Jennifer Ann Obenhaus, John Lyle Obenhaus II, Amanda Carol Deering, and Alexandra Marchelle Deering; to her mother, Juanita Meyers; to her sisters, Molly Scherer, Elaine Click, and Cindy Czernieckie; to her brother, Eddie Meyers; and to her other loved ones; and, be it further

7 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 8 prepared for the members of her family and that when the Texas House 9 of Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Carol 10 Jean Deering.