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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Bill and Wynell Rickey of Midland marked a special
- 2 milestone in their lives when they celebrated their 50th wedding
- 3 anniversary on May 17, 2003, with a dinner and reception at
- 4 Kesslers; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Rickey were wed on May 19, 1953, in
- 6 Duncan, Oklahoma; in the ensuing years, they have been blessed with
- 7 two children, Steve and Glen Rickey, as well as five grandchildren;
- 8 and
- 9 WHEREAS, Before moving to Midland in 1970, the Rickeys lived
- in Durango, Colorado, and Altamont, Illinois; Mr. Rickey worked for
- 11 Humble Oil and Refining Company and Exxon, while Mrs. Rickey was
- 12 employed as an assistant manager for Skibell's during her career;
- 13 and
- 14 WHEREAS, Valued members of their community, Mr. and Mrs.
- 15 Rickey belong to Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 4149, American
- 16 Legion Post 19, and the Elks BPOE Lodge 2086; and
- WHEREAS, For half a century, this devoted couple have shared
- an enduring union filled with many happy times and cherished family
- 19 memories, and it is a privilege to recognize all they have
- 20 accomplished in their life together; now, therefore, be it
- 21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas
- 22 Legislature hereby congratulate Bill and Wynell Rickey on the
- joyous occasion of their golden wedding anniversary and extend to
- them best wishes for continued happiness; and, be it further

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- 1 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 2 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Rickey as an expression of high regard by
- 3 the Texas House of Representatives.