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## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Named for attorney William H. Lyford of the Chicago
and Eastern Illinois Railroad, the city of Lyford is situated in
Willacy County, the site of three Spanish land grants; and

WHEREAS, Once part of the San Juan de Carricitos land grant, Lyford was platted in 1907; its early buildings included Pioneer Hall, which served as a school, place of worship, and facility for general gatherings, a post office, and the Lyford Hotel; by the turn of the 21st century, the town's population had reached approximately 2,000; and

10 WHEREAS, Lyford possesses a long and rich heritage, and the 11 contributions its residents have made to the Lone Star State are 12 truly commendable; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas Legislature hereby honor the city of Lyford for the part it is playing in building the Lone Star State and extend to its citizens sincere best wishes for success in all their endeavors.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1926 was adopted by the House on June 2, 2003, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House