

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2

**WHEREAS**, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize the Seven Acres Jewish Senior Care Services as it celebrates its 60th anniversary; and

**WHEREAS**, Established in 1943 by Houston's Jewish community, the facility has served the needs of the elderly under the mission of "Honor thy Father and thy Mother"; it represents the best of the Jewish community's commitment to bring comfort and dignity to its elders; and

**WHEREAS**, Numerous activities are planned during the 60th anniversary year to celebrate the facility's accomplishments of the past and to make plans for future endeavors for improving services to residents; and

**WHEREAS**, The celebration will begin with the center's February 4, 2003, 60th annual meeting, when past presidents of Seven Acres Senior Care Services will be honored; plans for the new Jewish Assisted Living facility on the site will be introduced on this occasion; in addition, plans to unveil the Campus Redevelopment Project will be discussed; and

**WHEREAS**, A gala on March 8, 2003, will mark the 60th Anniversary Diamond Celebration; the annual Lou Lewis Symposium in Gerontology and the eighth annual Spirit of Life Award Luncheon will both incorporate the anniversary theme into their programs; in addition, a number of other events involving the residents, volunteers, and staff will be scheduled throughout the year in honor of the organization's anniversary; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 78th Legislature, hereby extend congratulations to all associated with Seven Acres Jewish Senior Care Services on reaching this milestone and extend to them best wishes for future success; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for the center's residents, staff, volunteers, and board as an expression of esteem from the Texas Senate.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on February 3, 2003.

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Secretary of the Senate

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Member, Texas Senate